THE ARCHBALD TRIAL OPENED

Senate Begins Action in Case of Impeached Judge.

UPPER HOUSE TO SIT AS COURT EACH DAY

Until the Decision on the Matter Is Reached.

Judge Archbald Makes Preparation for a Bitter Fight and Is Aided Therein by His Own Legal Knowledge—Is Charged with Gross Improprieties in Use of His Office in Commerce Court.

Washington, Dec. 3.—The trial of Judge Robert W. Archbald, of the commerce court, who faces impeachment for alleged misdemeanors in office, began in the senate at 12:30 today. Promptly at that hour the house managers, led by Chairman Clayton of the house judiciary committee, entered the senate chamber. They were followed by Judge Archbald and his counsel, A. S. Worthington and Alexander Simpson.

The house managers are Chairman Clayton and Representatives Webb, of North Carolina; Floyd, of Arkansas, Sterling, of Illinois; Norris, of Nebraska; Davis, of West Virginia and Howland, of Ohio.

An order was entered by unanimous consent that, hereafter, the senate will sit daily as a court of impeachment for the Archbald trial, beginning at 2 o'clock.

It was also ordered that the opening statement on the part of the house managers should be made by one person to be followed by one of counsel for the respondent.

At Representative Clayton's request, formal announcement of the appearance of the managers on the part of the house will not be made in the senate. Mr. Worthington made a similar request for the respondent and his counsel. A recess of the court then was taken until 2 o'clock and the senate resumed its regular session

Judge Archbald has made preparations for a bitter fight and, in his preparations, he has been aided by his own legal knowledge.

Ninth To Be Impeached.

Judge Robert W. Archbald is the ninth federal official to be impeached by congress since the adoption of the constitution of the United States. Of the other eight who were arraigned by the government, only two were found guilty. These were John Pickering, United States district judge, 1803-4, and West H. Humphrey, also a United States judge, who was removed from office by the senate in 1862

The government was incited to proceed against Judge Archbald on the strength of charges brought against him by William P. Boland, president of the Marian Coal company, of Scranton, Pennsylvania.

Mr Boland carried his charges to the president of the United States, who was so impressed with them that he directed Attorney General Wickersham to make an investigation of Archbald's actions while on the bench.

Attorney General Wickersham appointed Wrisley Brown, a young assistant in his office, to make the investigation and to conduct the prosecution of the accused judge before the house judicial committee.

This investigation opened May 7. The hearings were conducted publicly. As a result, Chairman Clayton, of the house judiciary committee, on July 8, presented a unanimous report, demanding that Judge Archbald, of the United States commerce court, be "impeached for misbehavior and for high crimes and misdemeanors."

In summing up its report, the house committee had this to say of Judge Archbald:

Report of Committee.

"Your committee is of the opinion that Judge Archbald's sense of moral responsibility has become deadened. He has prostituted his high office for personal profit. He has attempted, by various transactions, to commercialize his potentiality as judge. He has shown an overweening desire to make gainful bargains with parties having cases before him, or likely to have cases before him. To accomplish this purpose he has not hesitated to use his official power and, in such, he has degraded his high office and destroyed the confidence of the public in his judicial integrity."

July 11, the house voted the impeachment of Judge Archbald by a vote of 222 to one and, July 15, the house impeachment charges were formally presented to the senate, where they were referred to a committee of five. On the following day the senate was sworn in as a court of impeachment and a summons was issued for Judge Archbald.

The press of legislation before the senate, however, had the effect of postponing the trial of Judge Archbald and, August 3, following a long executive session of the senate December 2, 1912, was set as the date upon which the judge was to be called to answer to the articles of impeachment formulated by the house.

Judge Archbald was severely criticized by the press of the country last year for the decisions he made in the famous "Wire-Pool" cases. This combination in restraint of trade was conceived by E. E. Jackson, who was denounced by Attorney General Wickersham as a "quack" lawyer, was generally regarded as one of the most ruthless schemes ever put through to smother free competition. Yet Judge Archbald dismissed all the defendants with a nominal fine, save Jackson, who was fined $45,000.

JOINED IN MARRIAGE BY GROOM'S FATHER

Miss Sophia E. Schlaefer and Mr. Glenn F. Scott.

Miss Sophia E. Schlaefer and Mr. Glenn F. Scott, both of South Germantown, Wisconsin, were united in marriage by the groom's father, Dr. George A. Scott, at the Epworth M. E. church parsonage on east Center street, Saturday night at 9 o'clock.

The young people came here last week to eat Thanksgiving turkey with the groom's parents. It had been planned that, while they were here, they should have Rev. Mr. Scott marry them. Saturday afternoon a marriage license was secured from Probate Judge W. S. Spencer, it being necessary, under the law, for the bride to claim her temporary residence as Marion.

Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Scott departed on their honeymoon trip for Chicago and Milwaukee. They will make their future home on a farm in Iowa.

JOINED IN MARRIAGE IN THE CAPITAL CITY

Miss Lillian D. Landon and Mr. H. D. Irvin Wed.

Mr. Harrison D. Irvin, of this city, was united in marriage to Miss Lillian D. Landon, a daugther of Mr. David Landon, of this county, in Columbus, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Bovey, pastor of the Congregational church, of that city.

Immediately after the ceremony the young people came to Marion where they will make their future home with the groom's mother, Mrs. Mary J. Irvin, of north Greenwood street, until the new residence the groom has in course of construction on south Prospect street, is ready for occupancy.

The bride is a sister of Charles M. Landon, of this city, and is quite well known in Marion. Mr. Irvin is a master mechanic in the employ of the Marion-Osgood company.

IMPORTANT CHANGE OF LOCAL COMPANY

Full Taxicab and Motor Truck Service Is Planned.

PUBLIC AUCTION OF HORSES AND VEHICLES

Marion Livery & Transfer Company Will Dispose of Everything Relating to Horse-Drawn Vehicles and Will Inaugurate a Service in Keeping with Progress of City.

The Marion Livery & Transfer company, which is quartered at No. 135 north Main street, and is incorporated with an authorized capital stock of $15,000, has decided to make a radical change in its service in order to meet the fast-increasing demands of its patrons and keep pace with the growth of the city.

December 14, a public auction of all horses, cabs and horse-drawn vehicle appliances will be held at the stables.

December 10, or earlier if possible the company expects to inaugurate a full taxicab service. Seven motor vehicles, including two limousines and a motor truck, will be utilized. Two of the taxis are now on the road, and the other vehicles will be delivered as rapidly as possible. It is probale that a partial service will be established by Saturday.

As fast as the new vehicles arrive, they will be placed in service, and the horse-drawn vehicles will be withdrawn.

Part of the vehicles purchased are Packards and part of them are Cadillacs

The company promises that its service will be in full measure with the needs of the city and will be maintained in the best manner possible.

PETITION-IN-ERROR IN SUPREME COURT

Frank Phillips Will Carry His Case Higher.

Tuesday, Frank Phillips, convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary for seven years for burglary, through DeGolley & DeGolley, his counsel, filed in the supreme court a petition-in-error. He seeks to have his conviction reversed. It will be remembered that Circuit Judge Phil M. Crow, of Kenton, in delivering his dissenting opinion in Phillips' case, advised his attorney to prosecute error to the supereme court. Phillips' alleged pal, Joseph Martin, was sentenced to the Dayton workhouse.

They Take a Walk.

A crowd of five girls of Morral enjoyed a jaunting trip, Saturday afternoon, walking to Harpster, a distance of seven miles, where they spent several hours with friends, returning home on the evening train. Those who composed the party were Misses Fairy Smith, Eva Walterhouse, Ida Bosley, DeMerle Moore and Jessie Walterhouse.

BALLOONISTS TELL THRILLER

Two Americans Have Perilous Trip in Air,

IN INTERNATIONAL RACE IN GERMANY

Finally Land, with Jolt, on a Russian Plain.

John Watts and A. T. Atterhold Are Back from Europe—Story of Their 1,150-Mile Trip Is Full of Sensations—Balloon, Covered with Ice, Falls Nearly 11,000 Feet, Stopping Near Earth.

New York, Dec. 3.—A thrilling story of two days' flirting with death, while more than two miles above the earth's surface, was told today by John Watts, ballonist of Kansas City, when he returned from Europe on the liner, Kaiserin Auguste Victoria.

Mr. Watts, with A. T. Atherholt, of Philadelphia, participated in the international balloon race, which started from Stuttgart, Germany, October 27. Their own balloon was in a leaky condition, so they borrowed the Dusseldorf II and their record of 1,150 miles most likely will give them third place, a trophy, and $1,500 in cash.

"We were not very familiar with the workings of the new balloon and had some trouble early in the flight," said Watts. "Time and again we were saved from a precarious condition by quick action. A strong wind came along and carried us over the Baltic sea for a distance of about 300 miles.

"The air currents carried us into Russia and it grew intensely colld. We thought several thimes we would have to descend because of the biting cold.

Balloon Sinks.

"We had gone about 1,100 miles when we noticed that our balloon was slowly but surely sinking. We threw out ballast, but it did not seem to keep us up. Then we noticed that our gas bag was encrusted with ice and the coating grew thicker each hour. We threw out all our ballast, but to no avail, and the big ship went hurtling through space from an altitude of about 11,000 feet and it seemed we covered the distance to the earth in a few seconds.

"We seemed to slow up a trifle when we were within about 200 feet of the earth and the big bag seemed to regain its buoyancy, but it was only for a few minutes and then, despite everything we did, the balloon shot to the ground.

"We landed with a terrific crash that almost jolted both of us out of the basket, which was badly smashed We clung to the ropes and threw out the anchor. But the balloon began to skip along the ground. The crash had shaken off hundreds of pounds of ice, and the balloon regained enough buoyancy to sail along, with the basket dragging over the frozen uneven ground.

"Luckily we came to a clump of trees and the seemingly mile-a-minute clip of our balloon was checked long enough for us to jump out and tie it. It was a thriller, that experience and one which came mighty near being our last."

For nearly a week after they ascended, not a word was heard from either Watts or Atherholt and it was thought they were lost until word of their safety was telegraphed from Poskov, a small Russian town near Moscow, where they descended. They landed, October 29, but it was not until November 3 that the telegram reached the telegraph office, nearly 300 miles away.

The distance Watts and Atherholt traveled entitled them to third place in the race, but the judges disqualified them because they ascended after sunset. However, the men have made a protest against this ruling, claiming they ascended at that time with the full sanction of the officials and, when Watts left Germany, he was given assurance that the disqualification would not stand. Watts will leave New York Wednesday night, arriving in Kansas City Friday morning.

MEN ARE HELD TO ANSWER CHARGE

George W. Groves and Milo Geyer in Trouble.

George W. Groves and Milo Geyer were held to the grand jury in bonds of $300 each by Mayor T. A. Gruber, of Caledonia, Monday afternoon, for shooting at Earl Watterson.

The men are alleged to have been drinking and were engaged in shooting at tombstones in the Caledonia cemetery, when Watterson protested. The men are then alleged to have fired shotguns at him, but missed him. The shooting is said to have occurred last Saturday. Both men furnished bond.

A Small Blaze—A small blaze which threatened to do considerable damage occurred Monday at the home of J. J. Phelps, of Olney avenue. The fire was discovered by neighbors, who formed a bucket brigade and extinguished the fire before the department was called. The blaze started in the roof from a spark from a chimney, burning a small hole in the roof and damaging the siding slightly.

PENNY POSTAGE BILL PRESENTED

Senator Penrose Wants To See Rates Reduced.

FIRST BILL TO COME BEFORE THE SENATE

Election of Presidents by Popular Vote Urged.

Senator Works, of California, Is the Author of Bill Providing for Change in Presidential Election Methods — Senators Perky and Jackson, of Idaho, and Maryland, Respectively, Sworn In.

Washington, Dec. 3.—The first bill of the present session of congress was introduced in the senate today by Senator Penrose. It provides for the reduction of postage on first class mail matter and establishes a national penny postage rate. The bill was referred to the committee on post offices and postroads.

A bill reestablishing the banking system of the United States, along lines previously suggested by the Aldrich commission, was introduced by Senator Borah, of Idaho. The measure was referred to the committee on finance.

Senator Works, of California, introduced a bill for the election of presidents by popular vote, without the action of the electoral college. The bill provides that, after election, the popular vote of each state shall be recorded and sent to the senate. The candidate receiving the greatest number of votes throughout the nation, regardless of states, will become president. It was referred to the judiciary committee.

Two New Sentors.

Washington, Dec. 3—Two United States senators were sworn in today at the opening of the senate. They are Kirkland I. Perky, Democrat, of Idaho, appointed by Governor Hawley to succeed the late Stnator Heyburn, and W. P. Jackson, Republican, of Maryland, oppointed by Governor Goldsborough, to succeed the late Senator Isidor Rayner.

Their credentials were presented by Senators Borah and John Walter Smith, respectively. The two new members do not change the political complexion of the senate. Perky's term in the senate will be short-lived, as the Idaho legislature will meet in January and will elect a Republican. Jackson will hold office until a year from January, when the Maryland legislature will elect a Democrat.

The credentials of Robert Broussard ere presented today. Although elected by the Louisiana legislature, May 21, 1912, he will not take office until March 4, 1915. Mr. Broussard is a member of the present house.

Nominations by Taft.

Washington, Dec. 3.—President Taft today sent the following nominations to the senate:

To be agent of the Alaskan salmon fisheries, Ward P. Bower, of Michigan.

Postmasters—C. A. Connelly, Independence, Kansas; Ollie Stewart, Harrison, Kansas; Campbell F. Reid, Warrentown, Missouri; William B. Edwards, Wichita, Kansas.

To Repeal Section of Bill.

Washington, Dec. 3.—Senator McCumber, of North Dakota, will introduce a bill to repeal the newspaper publicity sections of the last post-office appropriation bill. The North Dakota senator maintains that the law works a hardship on small papers.

Recess Appointments.

Washington, Dec. 3.—More than 150 reces sappointments were sent to the senate today by President Taft. The list included a number of important diplomatic assignments, among them Larz Anderson, ambassador to Japan; Theodore Marburg, of Baltimore, minister to Belgium; Fred W. Carpenter, of California, minister to Siam; Irwin S. Laughlin, of Pennsylvania, secretary to the London embassy; U. G. Smith, of Pennsylvania, secretary to the Vienna embassy; Joseph C. Grew, of Massachusetts, secretary to the Berlin embassy, and Hubert C. Baugh, of California, consul at Saigon, Cochin China.

The nomination of Carmi A. Thompson, of Ohio, as treasurer of the United States and Christian S. Pearce, of Tennessee, to be assistant treasurer were included.

Other recess appointments were District Judges Richard E. Sloan, for the district of Arizona, John M. Cheney, for the Southern district of Florida; Clinton W. Howard, for the Western district of Washington.

United States Attorneys James B. Cloan, for the Southern district of Alabama; Richard P. Marks for the Southern district of Florida; Lester G. Sant for the Northern district of Mississippi; Beverly W. Coiner for the Western district of Washington and Bert McDowell, United States Marshal for the Western district of Texas.

Breaks Left Ankle—J. J. Rudolph, of Wallace street, fell and broke his left ankle, while running near his home, Sunday afternoon about 4 o'clock.

IS VICTORY FOR SHERMAN LAW

Effect of Decision in Harriman Merger Sweeping.

ENEMIES OF STATUTE MAY CURB ACTIVITIES

Ruling Foreshadows Future Decrees of Court.

The Order for Dissolution of Southern and Union Pacific Combine Convinces Opponents That Sherman Law Is Stronger Than Supposed—Each Case Must Stand on Its Own Bottom, Is Belief.

Washington, Dec. 3.—The direct effect of the supreme court decision ordering a dissolution of the Harriman merger of the Southern and Union Pacific railroads was today declared so sweeping that the advocates of a change in the Sherman anti-trust law probably will curb their activities and not press, at the present time, any campaign for amendments to the law.

The decision was of such strength that those who have feared that the law was too weak after the tobacco and oil trust decisions, are now wavering. Lawyers say the decision will be far reaching in its general effect on the railroad situation. It shadows the decree of the court in the anthracite case, in which the government alleges that the Reading railroad unlawfully acquired control of the Central Railroad of New Jersey and that the Erie violated the Sherman law by acquiring control of a competing coal road, running from New York harbor to the anthracite fields. It may even extend to some of the New York, New Haven & Hartford acquisitions.

Among the members of congress, the decision is of interest, particularly to those who have been trying to amend the anti-trust laws. They infer from it that each case of alleged illegal combination will be held to stand on its own bottom, and the facts in each subject shall decide whether it is in restraint of competition.

CHARLES F. FRANK DIES AT CRESTLINE

The Passing of an Aged Merchant of Little City.

PROMINENT IN CHURCH WORK FOR MANY YEARS

Superintendent of Sunday-School Over Forty Years—The Father of D. A. Frank and George E. Frank of This City—Funeral Services Held at Crestline Thursday.

Charles Frederick Frank, father of D. A. and G. E. Frank, of this city, died at his home in Crestline, Tuesday morning at 7 o'clock, of a complication of diseases incident to old age. He became ill two weeks ago Saturday.

Mr. Frank, who was a well-known merchant and church worker of Crestline, was born in Germany August 30, 1832, and came to this country when fourteen years of age. He was married to Miss Emma Babst, a sister of Judge Daniel Babst, in Crestline, in 1859. After their marriage, they moved to Johnstown, Pennsylvania, where Mr. Frank engaged in the grocery business, later entering the hardware business During the civil war, he moved to Monroeville, Indiana, and engaged in the manufacturing business. For the past forty-seven years he has been one of the leading drygoods merchants of Crestline, and was highly respected, not only as a business man, but as a church worker, he having been superintendent of the English Lutheran Sunday-school for over forty years. At the last election he was honored by being elected superintendent during his life time. He was also a great church worker, being a member of the Lutheran church for many years.

The deceased was the father of six children, four of whom with his widow survive. They are D A. and G. E. Frank, of this city; Mrs. G A. Cellar, of Sewickley, Pennsylvania, and Paul Frank, of Crestline. He also leaves seven grandchildren, one great-grandchild, two brothers and two sisters.

The funeral was held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the late home. Interment was made in the Crestline cemetery.

Answer Filed.

Monday afternoon, at Upper Sandusky, Attorney H Edmund Hill filed answers in the partition suit of William Weaver, Sr., against Frank Hablitzel and others, the answers being those of Frank Hablitzel, a minor, whose guardian is John J. Hablitzel, and of John J. Hablitzel, who sets up a dower interest as the surviving husband of Mollie Hablitzel. The land described in the petition consists of about 200 acres in Wyandot county.

A son was born, Saturday, to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Russell, of Mt Vernon avenue.

COOPER POST G. A. R. HOLDS AN ELECTION

Officers of the Post Named for the Coming Year.

A meeting of the Cooper Post, No. 117, G. A. R., was held, Monday afternoon, in the G. A. R. rooms, with a large number attending. The early part of the meeting was taken up with the election of officers of the post. The following officers were elected:

J. F. Apt, commander; S. Fogelson, senior vice commander; J. W. McKinley, junior vice commander; J. J. Crawley, officer of the day; Milton Marsh, chaplain; J. B. King, quartermaster; G. T. Harding, surgeon; P. R. Stouffer, officer of the guard; Edward Wynn, inside sentinel; S. N. Titus, delegate to the state encampment; Michael Zachman, alternate.

J. F. Apt was immediately installed as commander, as Past Commander J. H. Carpenter, of Attica was present. The regular installation of officers will be held at the next meeting of the post, the first Monday in January

After the business session, a banquet was provided by the wives and daughters of the veterans. An address was delivered by Past Comander J. H. Carpenter and special music was rendered by the Grand Army quartet, which is composed of Messrs. Shute, Crawley, Hayes, and Zachman. Many informal talks were given

VICTIM OF SHOOTING DIES IN THE HOSPITAL

Verne H. Shaffer Passes Away, Monday Evening.

BROTHER IS ALMOST CRAZED BY GRIEF

Young Man Fires the Shot Which Causes Death—The Dead Youth Is Held in High Regard by a Wide Circle of Friends—Employed as Driver by Local Hardware Firm.

Verne Heather Shaffer, eighteen years old, accidentally shot in the abdomen by his brother, aged twenty-two years, Saturday night, died as a result of his injuries at the Marion City hospital, Monday night at 9:15 o'clock. He was operated on in an effort to save his life, but his bowels had been punctured by the bullet from the revolver, and the surgeons announced that there was no hope of recovery.

As a result of the youth's death, his brother, who unintentionally caused his death, is almost crazed by grief. The parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Shaffer, reside at No. 646 Silver street. Mrs. Shaffer is prostrated.

The dead youth had been employed as a driver by Harry A. Ammann, proprietor of a hardware store on west Center street. He was exceptionally well liked by those who knew him. He was born in Auglaize county, January 18, 1895, and had lived with his parents in this city a number of years. He is survived by his parents and three brothers, Elza and Lewis Shaffer, of Marion, and C. J. Shaffer, of Logan.

The youth was conscious at frequent intervals, Monday afternoon and night. A short time before he died he told his mother that it would not be long until he would be in the upper world. These were his last conscious words.

AN INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS FOR YEAR

Lydia Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, Holds Meeting.

Lydia Chapter, No. 83, Order of the Eastern Star held a meeting, Monday evening, for the installation of officers. The following officers were installed:

Mrs. Cora Titus, worthy matron; F. O Tuttle, worthy patron; Mrs. Delle Lunger, assistant matron; Miss Katherine Fies, secretary; Mrs. Millie Tschanen, treasurer; Mrs. Stella Cunningham, assistant conductress; Mrs. Mary Day, chaplain; Mrs. Jessie Clark, marshal; Miss Emma Berndt, Adah; Mrs. Susan Crim, Ruth; Miss Hortense Fies, Esther; Miss Flossie Price, Electa; Mrs. Mary Smith, warden, J. F. Ullom, sentinel.

LARGE CRANE KILLED NEAR PROSPECT MONDAY

The Bird in Possession of Carl Allgower, of Richwood.

A Marysville special to the Ohio State Journal of this morning says:

A large crane, measuring four feet and six inches, was killed near Prospect Monday and is now in the possession of Carl Allgower, of Richwood.

A brass beer check was found attached to one of the crane's legs, bearing the name of Robert Sammler, Marysville, Ohio. Sammler was a saloonkeeper of this city, who died eleven years ago.

Allgower is searching for the person who placed the beer check on the crane's leg. The bird will be mounted.

JOINED IN MARRIAGE AT WINDSOR, CANADA

Miss Lena Beicher and Mr. Leo Schoechle.

Miss Lena Beicher and Mr. Leo Schoechle were married at Windsor, Canada, November 28, by Rev. Hollenrake, of the Methodist church.

The young people will make their future home in this city.

STATE DECIDES TO SUE BANKS

Alleged To Have Illegally Paid Interest to Officials.

BONDSMEN MAY BE LET OFF LIGHTLY

Unless Plans of Ohio's Legal Department Go Wrong.

A Meeting Is Held by Representatives of Attorney General's Office and Lawyers Retained by the Prosecution, at Which It Is Decided To Proceed Against the Banks First and the Treasurers Afterward.

Columbus, O., Dec. 3.—Unless plans of the state's legal department fail, bondsmen of former state treasurers, who are alleged to have profited by illegal interest from public funds, may escape payment of a large part of the amounts for which the supreme court recently held they were liable, because the state will sue the banks which paid the illegal interest.

Only the former treasurers and their bondsmen were at first made defendants in the suits bought to recover hundreds of thousands of dollars which had been obtained in illegal interest, but later the banks were sued by the state for whatever money they paid on public funds. As a result of a conference held between Special Counsel Frank Davis, Jr., of the attorney general's office and Attorneys Henry J. Booth and Robert W. McCoy, who were retained by the state to assist in the prosecution, it was decided to proceed against the banks first and the treasurers afterward.

The banks' liability is said to be settled, and an effort is to be made to ascertain what sums can be recovered from them. The first to be tried is that against the Columbus Savings and Trust company, which has been set for hearing next Monday. A commissioner will be appointed to take the testimony which examiners have been gathering since the institution has been in process of liquidation by the state banking department. Following this the case against the Cincinnati Trust company will be tried, as its books are available also.

It is expected that little trouble will be had in securing evidence of the illegal loans, as heads of the banks which are known to have received the illegal deposits will be called to testify. Trustees then will be called upon to pay the difference between the amount for which the banks make reparation and the amount of interest on state money loaned by former officials.

CHARLES FOUT GIVEN LIBERTY BY THE COURT

Boy Helps His Mother and Is Kept Too Close.

GETS VERY LITTLE TIME FOR PLAYING OUTSIDE

Mother Explains Situation at Home and the Judge Offers Her Kindly Advice—Another Lad Is Before the Judge, but Proves an Alibi. Must Attend School, However.

Twelve-year-old Charles Fout, who was found hidden in the McKinley grocery on north State street a few evenings ago, in the juvenile court, Tuesday, told Judge W. S. Spencer that a man had drugged him and threatened to "cut his head off" if he did not enter the place. The story appeared too ridiculous to believe, the judge told him, but the little fellow stuck to it.

The mother said that she had been keeping her boy too close helping her do the housework. She said he washed the dishes before he went to school in the morning and helped her when he came home from school. He got very little play, she admitted, and Judge Spencer told her to allow the boy to run and romp and play more. "He needs it and must have it," the judge said. "He does not look any too well."

The boy's mother said that since the arrival of twins at their home she had been sickly and unable to do much. "But since this came up I've been thinking that maybe I've kept Charles in the house too close," she said.

Judge Spencer allowed the boy to return to his home with the understanding that he was to be held under the surveillance of the court. Another lad, who was believed to have been implicated with the Fout boy, was also brought before Judge Spencer, Tuesday morning. He proved a satisfactory alibi and was allowed to go. His mother asked the court to see that he went to school. "That is the only trouble I've had with him; he won't go to school," she said. As the youth is under fourteen years of age, Judge Spencer said that he must attend school and warned him not to fail to attend under penalty of punishment from the court.

Anybody who knows enough to think he ought to teach it to the world wouldn't do himself any harm to stop a minute and learn something from the world.—New York Press.

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COMPLETE REPORT OF THE AWABOS MADE

The Winners in the Poultry Show Last Week.

THE SECRETARY GIVES REPORT OF JUDGES

Many Marion Chicken Fanciers Are Found in the List of Prize Winners—The Class, Owners and Premium Fowls as Announced. Special Awards Saturday.

The complete report of the awards made at the poultry show was given out by the secretary, Carmi F. Church, last Friday. The class owners and premium fowls are as follows:

Single Comb Buff Orpingtons—J. Gelbaugh, Marion, first on cocks, first and second on cockerels, second and fourth on pullets, first on pen; W. W. Dunn, Marion, first and third on pullets.

Single Comb White Orpingtons—Robert S. Dombaugh, Marion first on cocks; M I Millard, Shelby, first on hens, second on cockerels, second pen; H A McDonald, Upper Sandusky, fourth on hens, first cockerels, first, third, and fourth on pulletsc, first on pens; Dr J. P. Helbert, of Bellefontaine, second and third on hens, third on cockerels, third on pens.

Single Comb Black Orpingtons—H. D. Schlinder, Marion, first on cocks, second and third on pullets, first on pens; J. D. Wise, Marion, second on cocks, first, second and fourth on hens, third pen; W. W. Dunn, Marion, third on hens, first, second, third and fourth on cockerels, first and fourth on pullets, second pen.

White Crested Black Polish—John Steinmetz, Marion, sweepstakes.

Plymouth Rocks.

White Plymouth Rocks—F E. Andrew, Marion, first on cocks fourth pen, Mrs. George S. Moore, Clintonville, second on cocks, first, second, and third on hens, first and third on cockerels, first, second, third, and fourth on pullets, first and second pens; Samuel Hoffman, Marion, third on cocks, fourth on hens, second on cockerels, first and second pens; John L. Berringer, Marion, fourth on cocks; H. S. Kerr, Marion, fourth on cockerels

Buff Plymouth Rocks—Earl Sargent, Marion, first on cocks, first and second on hens, first on cockerels, first and fourth on pullets, first pen; Charles Agard, Marion, second on cocks, second pen; W B. Peters, Marion, third on cocks third on hens; Howard Maag, Marion, fourth on cocks, Harley Byers, Marion, fourth on cocks.

Partridge Plymouth Rocks—Ben Miley, Marion, second on cocks, second, third and fourth on hens, first on pen; W. H Shreffler, Marion, first on cocks, first on hens, first and second on cockerels, first, second, and third on pullets

Barred Plymouth Rocks—T. O. McClure, Marion, first on cocks, first on hens, fourth on cockerels, first on pullets, second pen; William Fics, Marion, second on cocks, second on cockerels, second pullets, first pen; Byron Hume, Marion, third on cocks, fourth on hens, fourth on pullets, third pen; W. B. Peters, Marion, fourth on cocks, second and third on hens, fourth pen; Mrs F J Scheckler, Nevada, first and third on cockerels.

Rhode Island Reds.

Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds—Tracht Brothers, Galion, first on cocks, second on hens, third on cockerels, first and fourth on pullets, first pen; L. L. Nowell, Marion, second on cocks, first and third on hens, third pen; C A Keil, Marion, fourth on cockerels, E A. Bunnell, Nevada, first on cockerels, third on pullets, second pen.

Single Comb Rhode Island Reds—Charles Mayer, Marion, sweepstakes.

Silver Wyandotte — Elmer J. Knauss, Marion, first on cockerels, first and second on hens, second, third and fourth on pullets, first pen; Cyrus B. Austin, Delaware, first, second and third cockerel, first on pullets.

Single Comb Brown Leghorns—George Ranger, Ashley, first on cockerels, third on pullets; Charles H. Meyer, Marion, second cockerel, fourth pullet; Gus Melvin, Marion, third cockerel, first and second pullet, first pen

Single Comb White Leghorns—I R. Mankel, Upper Sandusky, first cock, first and third cockerel, first pullet; Charles Kraner, Bucyrus, second on cockerels, second and third on pullets; F. M. Bender, Marion, first and second on hens, fourth on cockerels, second pen.

Buff Leghorn—O. C. Wright, Canal Winchester, first and second cock, first and second hens, first, second and third on cockerels, first, second, third and fourth on pullets, first pen.

Black Leghorns.

Single Comb Black Leghorns—F. J. Berringer, Marion, first on cocks, first, second and fourth on hens, first pen; H. B. Simms, Marion, first on cockerels, first, second and third on pullets, third on hens.

Single Comb Black Minorcas—J. F. Henry, Delaware, first on cockerels, first on pullets.

Rose Comb Black Minorcas—Harrison Gast, Prospect, first on cocks, hens and cockerels, first, second and third on pullets, first pen.

Cornish Indian Games—W. H. Seigfred, Marion, first on cocks, second, third and fourth on hens, first and third on pullets; C. P. Bullocks, Salamanca, New York, third on cockerels; W. J. Sontag, Marion, first on hens, second on cockerels, second on pullets; J. D. Wise, Marion, first pen.

White Cochin Bantams—I. R. Mankel, Upper Sandusky, first and second on cockerels, first, second and third on pullets; T. J. Berringer, Marion, third and fourth on cockerels, fourth on pullets, first pen; D. E. Wertz, Delaware, first on cocks and first on hens.

Buff Cochin Bantams — Albert Maddox, Cleveland, sweepstakes.

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

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ANTONIO STAFANO FUNERAL SERVICES

Services Are Held at St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Antonio Stafano, alias Tony Stiffin, who was shot to death as he lay sleeping in a house at No. 118 Waterloo street, Tuesday night, was given a Christian burial Saturday. Rev. Father Joseph M Denning, of St. Mary's church, officiated.

The body was removed to St. Mary's church from the Hess & Markert undertaking establishment on south Main street shortly after 9 o'clock Fewer than half a dozen, including the undertaker, were present when Father Denning delivered the funeral oration. Mrs. Antonio Benedittto, over whom Stafano is said to have held a mystic spell, causing her to desert her husband and son, was not present.

Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

PLEASANT GATHERING AT THE GOOOING HOME

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gooding Host and Hostess.

GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY AFFAIR

Members of the Family Enjoy a Delightful Day—Mr. and Mrs. Gooding Are Married in Maine Fifty Years Ago—Make Home in County Through Married Life.

Mr. and Mrs Charles H. Gooding, of Walnut street, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary, Sunday, with a family reunion Nearly all the children and their families were present, and those invited, aside from the immediate relatives were Mrs. Anna Mohr, of Prospect; Mr. and Mrs. John C. Moore and son, Teddy; Mrs George E. Salmon, Mrs John Gooding, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Gooding and Mrs. Amelia Thibaut.

An elegant dinner was served at noon and a very pleasant afternoon was spent visiting The venerable couple was handsomely remembered.

Mr. Gooding, who has always resided in this county, was united in marriage to Mrs. Gooding at Lewiston, Maine, fifty years ago today Immediately after their marriage they returned to Marion and took up their residence on a farm south of Marion, where Mr Gooding was a prosperous farmer, retiring about ten years ago After he retired from active work, they moved to Marion and have since resided on Walnut street They are the parents of five children, all of whom are living, and helped them celebrate the happy occasion, with the exception of a daughter, Mrs Oscar Gompf, who resides at Gibbons, Montana. The other children are Mrs Clara Keenan, who resides at home, Mrs John P. Thibaut, of south of the city, and Clifford C and Harry Gooding, of Marion They have four grandchildren, Ralph, Gilbert, Marie and Charles Thibaut

Mr. Gooding will celebrate his eighty-third birthday, December 15, and Mrs. Gooding was seventy-one years old last April. Both are hale and hearty and are never happier than when surrounded by all their children and grandchildren.

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE JOINED IN MARRIAGE

Miss Ethel Bolinger and Mr. Frank Warwick.

Miss Ethel Bolinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D W. Bolinger, of near Edison, was united in marriage to Mr Frank Warwick, of this city, at Brunswick, Thursday, by Rev. James E Gray

Mrs Warwick is a graduate of the Caledonia high school and quite prominent in church work, being a member of the Methodist choir, of Caedonia, a teacher in the primary department and an officer in the Epworth league. Mr Warwick is a contractor and carpenter and formerly resided at Caledonia

After a visit with relatives in Cleveland Mr. and Mrs Warwick will reside on Barnhart street

AN INFANT DIES AT FAMILY HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McFadden Lose Little One.

The six-hour-old son of Mr. and Mrs Ernest McFadden, of Blaine avenue, died of inanition at the family residence, Friday evening. The remains were interred in the Marion cemetery, Saturday morning

Many a fool man commands respect by merely looking wise

MEMORIAL SERVICE AT BAPTIST CHURCH

The Elks Pay Tribute to the Memory of Departed.

TIMOTHY S. HOGAN DELIVERS ORATION

Speaks of the Order and Its Many Accomplishments—High Character Needed in the Individual and the Order Should Use Care in Selection—List of Departed.

"A wit's a feather, a chief a rod
An honest man's the noblest work of God."

Thus Attorney General Timothy S Hogan quoted from Pope's "Essay on Man' in his address at the annual memorial exercises held by Marion Lodge, No. 32, B P O. Elks at Trinity Baptist church, Sunday afternoon.

Marshalling his words and phrases with striking effect, Ohio's militant attrney general as the chief memorial day orator wholly absorbed the attention of the audience that completely filled the church edifice.

Eloquently the distinguished speaker eulogized the order of Elks, the glory of which, he said, was to do good in the world, and to "write the faults of its brothers upon the sands and their virtues on tablets of love and memory."

Eloquently, too, General Hogan beseeched his brothers to speak no slander nor to listen to slander. Feelingly he spoke of the departed brothers, and of their loss darkening, like eclipse, the home and the lodge-hall.

Silence Jealousies.

Earnestly General Hogan pleaded for the silencing of all jealousies among men and the elimination of petty strifes. He declared that he most lives who thinks and feels nobles, and who acts best.

Incidentally, without intending, he said, to offend the amenities, the speaker paid a splendid tribute to the late representative William T. Smith, of Marion, author of a tax law that had been of great benefit in Ohio.

"His memory is the memory that a clean man lives," General Hogan said, after explaining that Mr. Smith was the only one out of the long list of dead he personally knew. "I know of no evil deeds of him. I know that not even the breath of scandal ever touched him, and if all the members of the general assembly had been as devoted to their trust as he, how much better off this great commonwealth of Ohio would be. I did not come here to place a flower upon the grave, but speak from the depths of my heart as an Elk."

Brotherly Love.

The attorney general spoke of the brotherly love of the Elks for all men, not merely for their fraternal brothers, and mentioned the fact that the first money received by the sufferers of the San Francisco quake and fire was from the Grand exalted ruler of the Elks. "It was not for the relief of the Elks alone, but for all," he said. "Such is real fraternity, such is real charity Duty compels us to correct now and then an erring brother, but duty never compels us to speak unkindly, unjustly, uncharitably of another."

After remarking upon the horrible lawlessness of New York's gunmen, the speaker declared it was an evidence of the surrounding influence.

"A genuine Elk believes that wherever you find goodness you can well afford to get under its influences, and Elkdom preaches and practices goodness. Elkdom recognizes the fatherhood of God, whose affections are as near to one as to another. Let us practice that which condemns any wrongful act, but does not speak harshly or uncharitably of the actor. The Elks practice the principle of the Golden Rule. You may believe as you wish politically or you may worship at any alter as an Elk. We are all children of a common Father. One who has the love of God in his heart can not feel unkindly or unjustly toward his neighbor or his friend."

High Character Needed.

General Hogan here warned against taking into the order men who are not of the highest character, and spoke of what a mistake it would be were a speaker upon such an occasion as memorial day, compelled to eulogize the dead brother, who had not been a true Elk.

"This would be a case of paying public tribute to vice and not virtue," he said. He added that little importance should be attached to party or religious views, if a man be honest.

Prosecuting Attorney-elect Homer E. Johnson gave the eulogy, speaking particularly of M W Shaw and A. L. McCreedy, who died during the year He referred to the lodge's other dead members only in a general way His address was impressive

The members of the lodge marched to the church from their clubrooms in the Masonic block shortly before 2 o'clock, the central part of the big church being reserved for them. As they entered Miss Grace Durfee played impressively on the great organ "Memory's Hour," from Silver. The rostrum was occupied by Exalted Ruler K. H. Marshall, who had charge of the opening and closing ceremonies; Dr. Walter A. King, who invoked the divine blessing, and Speakers Hogan and Johnson. It was banked with huge palms and potted flowers.

Twenty-Four Candles.

Immediately in front of the altar was placed twenty-four candles and as Acting Secretary W. S. Spencer called the names of the departed brothers one of these was lighted by Esquire Charles H. Conley.

The Elk's quartet, composed of J. Wilbur Jacoby, Harvey S. Martin, Jules Martin and Ernest Coldren Carl, rendered two selections, and Mrs. William H. Harder sang "The Homeland" with deep tenderness. Mr. Jules Martin contributed a tenor solo, accompanied on the organ by Miss Durfee.

Following is a list of the dead:

Edgar A. Dombaugh, James S. Reed, Rolla C. Perry, George Key, Harvey Millisor, James H. Reed, T. H. B. Beale, W. T. McKelvey, John E. Rhoads, S. T. Beerbower, George C. Peadon, Maurice Breen, Henry True, John H. Criswell, Clyde W. King, Boston G. Young, Frank Levy, George H. Foreman, Isaac A Merchant, William B. Foye, Jr., William T. Smith, M. W. Shaw, A. L. McCreedy and George W. McMurray.

The memorial committee consisted of Harry S. Elliott, S. B. Lippincott and J. K. Leeper.

ADJOURNED MEETING OF THE PRESBYTERY

Rev. George M. Rourke Is Formally Dismissed.

NUMBER OF OFFICERS OF CHURCH PRESENT

Moderator U. F. Bartz, of Kenton, Presides—Rev. R. F. Smith, of Kenton, Serves in Capacity of Stated Clerk—Executive Commission of Church Holds Meeting.

Monday afternoon the Marion Presbytery held an adjourned meeting at the First Presbyterian church and formally dismissed to the Dayton Presbytery the local pastor, Rev. George M. Rourke, who has accepted a call to the First Presbyterian church in Springfield.

The meeting of the Presbytery was called to order at 1 o'clock with Moderator U. F. Bartz, of Kenton, presiding. Rev. R. F. Smith, of Cardington, the stated clerk, recorded the minutes of the meeting, which was brief, as it had been called for the single purpose of dismissing Rev. Mr. Rourke at his own request.

Elders John Landon and Charles Turner represented the First Presbyterian church Others attending the meeting were Moderator U. F. Bartz, of Kenton; Stated Clerk R. F. Smith, of Cardington; Rev. W. L. Barrett, of Bellefontaine; Rev. J. R. Lloyd, of Richwood; Rev. A M. Chapin, of Prospect; Elders R. L. Cameron and R. L. Kellogg, of Marysville; Rev. John Marshman, of Delaware; Rev. S. C. Bates, of West Liberty, and Dr. W. A. Ferguson, of Marion.

Preceding the Presbyterial meeting, the executive commission of the Presbytery held a meeting in the parlors of the church. This commission was appointed at the last session to draft a new set of rules, and its members discussed proposed new rules at its session here. This was the third meeting it has held, and it will meet again in the near future at Bellefontaine. The commission is composed of Rev. W. L. Barrett, of Bellefontaine; Rev. U. F. Bartz, of Kenton; Rev. J. R. Lloyd, of Richwood, and R. L. Cameron and R. L. Kellogg, of Marysville.

BUILDING PERMITS RUN INTO THOUSANDS

A Line on How Building Is Progressing in Marion.

SUM OF $55,900 FOR NEW STRUCTURES HERE

Thirty-Two of the Thirty-Four Building Permits of the Past Week Are Issued to W. T. Jones. Nearly All the Permits Are Taken Out for New Homes.

All previous records for building permits were broken during the past week, thirty-four permits being issued by City Clerk Elmer E. Blazer. The total estimated cost of the construction is $55,900. Thirty-two of the thirty-four permits issued were taken out by W. T. Jones, all being for residences. The total estimated cost of the residences for which Mr. Jones secured permits is $54,600. The permits issued were as follows:

W. T Jones, eight residences on Chestnut street, $1,800 each; W. T. Jones, eight residences on Chestnut street, $2,000 each; W. T. Jones, residence on Chestnut street, $1,700; W. T. Jones residence on Chestnut street, $1,300; W. T. Jones, residence on Mary street, $1,400; W. T. Jones, residence on Mary street $1,300; W. T. Jones, residence on Hurr street, $1,100; W. T. Jones, residence on LaTourette street, $1,200; W. T. Jones, residence on Silver street, $2,000; W. T. Jones, residence on Leader street, $1,800; W. T. Jones, two residences on south Seffner avenue, $2,000 each; W. T. Jones, three residences on Lincoln avenue, $1,400 each; W. T. Jones, three residences on north Vine street, $1,400 each; A. C. Springer, residence, east Center street, $900; Caroline Jennings, storeroom, Davids street, $400.

Beware of barkless dogs and talkless men.

MISS ANNA W. FITE'S WILL PROBATED MONDAY

Trinity Baptist Church Receives Church Property.

BUILDING AND TWO LOTS ON DAVIDS STREET

Miss Fite Does Not Forget the Christian People with Whom She Labors—Bequests Made to Mother, Sister and Brothers in Last Testament—All Share Alike.

Miss Anna W. Fite, well known High school teacher, who died at her home on east Center street, November 27, in her last will and testament, filed for probate Monday, bequeathed to the trustees of the Trinity Baptist church, or to whatever corporate body holds the legal title to the church's property used for church purposes, lots Nos. 3095 and 3096 on Davids street. This includes the Sunday-school building at the northwest corner of Davids and Darius streets.

"My intention is to give this property for the use and benefit of the congregation of which I am a member," reads Miss Fite's will.

To her sister, Mary J. Fite, of Marion, the decedent bequeathed her encyclopedias, and to her sister-in-law, Ada Fite, her furs. To her brother, William B. Fite, of New York, she gave her gold watch, and to another brother, Emerson D. Fite, of New Haven, Connecticut, she bequeathed all of the notes and other evidences of indebtedness held by her against him, so that the debts may be fully cancelled and not be considered as an advancement on any part of the decedent's assets.

In the last section of her will, Miss Fite devised and bequeathed to her mother, her sister and to her three brothers, John J., of Cleveland; William B. and Emerson D. Fite, all the residue of her property, real and personal, to hold the same absolutely and in fee simple, share and share alike.

In a codicil Miss Fite left to her sister, Miss Mary J. Fite, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ada Fite, additional minor personal effects.

The will and testament was witnessed by Miss Grace Durfee and Mrs. Nellie R. Hoberman, and was made November 15, 1912.

REV. GEORGE M. ROURKE FIRES SOME HOT SHOTS

"Culturine" Instead of Culture in the Local Church.

ILL-BRED PEOPLE ARE TOO NUMEROUS

More in the Marion First Presbyterian Church Than in Any Other the Minister Has Ever Visited. Don't Eat Up the Pastor the First Six Months and Then Change.

Rev. George M. Rourke, who was formally dismissed at his own request to the Dayton Presbytery by the Marion Presbytery in session here for that purpose, Monday, fairly paralyzed his congregation at Sunday morning's service.

"I want you all to listen," Rev. Mr. Rourke eclared, in his sermon on "The Call of the Church." "Now listen, I am going to pay you a compliment, and I want you to listen and remember what I say.

"In all my going around and in all the churches I have visited, I never have found so many ill-bred people as I have in this church. And you talk about your culture! It is not culture at all; it's 'culturine,' like butterine.

"There is butter and there is butterine. It is the same way with culture—there is culture and there is 'culturine.' And you have the 'culturine.'"

Province of Church.

The minister declared that it was not the province of the church to make the poor man feel he is not welcome to a pew as well as the rich. He then spoke of a certain member of his congregation who felt that the congregation was too common for her and had not paid her church dues for a number of years. He did not mention any names, but he left a strong inference as to the woman's identity.

"In complying with the life of Jesus, every member of the church is to be a worker just the same as the pastor," the minister continued.

"When you call your new pastor don't eat him up for the first six months he is here, and then after six months wish you had eaten him up. Never have I met some people more ill bred than some of the people here. For instance, when the pastor preaches on temperance or amusement they not only turn the cold shoulder on him, but they snub his wife who had nothing at all to do with it."

Rev. Mr. Rourke also had a few choice shots for the people of one church, who made a practice of attending others.

Miss Rosa Fosnaught and Mr. Ralph Fay Northrup were married by Justice Charles W. Haberman in the latter's office, Friday afternoon about 4 o'clock. The young people will make their future home in this city.

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J. E. Wadden, President — C. M. Phillips, Cashier

OFFICERS ELECTED BY SUNDAY-SCHOOL

Those To Serve Epworth School During Coming Year.

The names of the new officers elected for the Epworth M. E. Sunday-school were read during the Sunday-school hour, Sunday, by E. C. Smith. J. B Virden, who has so ably served the Sunday-school as superintendent for the past eighteen years, with the exception of a few years, was reelected superintendent. The other officers elected are.

K H. Marshall, assistant superintendent; W. Ross Smith, secretary; Miss DeEmma Hawley, assistant secretary; G. F. Larle, treasurer; E. E. Hipsher, chorister; Adam Bauer, librarian; Carl Holly and Walter Kilbury, assistant librarians; George P. Von Stein and B. F. Leavens, reception committee; Miss Mattie Meredith, organist; Mrs. W. J Grills, superintendent of the junior department; Miss Mina Boger, assistant superintendent; Miss Eleanor Boyd, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Frank Sifritt, superintendent of the primary department; Mrs. John Kilbury, assitsant superintendent; Mrs. E. E. Bush, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. John H. Bain, chorister; Mr. Charles Bowen, organist; Miss Clara Davidson, librarian; Mrs. S. P. Gregg, superintendent of the kindergarten department, and Mrs. J. B. Sifiritt, superintendent of cradle roll.

The officers will be installed at the morning services, the first Sunday in January.

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Through Pullman Sleeper leaves Marion every night at 11:34 p. m. via HOCKING VALLEY RY. to Toledo and L. S. & M. S. Ry., arriving LaSalle Station, Chicago, 7:59 a. m.

Eastbound car leaves Chicago 8:30 p. m. daily, arriving Marion 5:40 a. m.

New service with electric lighted steel sleeper will be effective on and after Nov. 10th. Sleeping car and railroad tickets on sale Marion Union Station.

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Sugar and Creamers. 20c. 34c and 48c Set.
Children's Cups and Saucers. 5c. 9c and 10c.
Jumbo Cups and Saucers. 19c and 25c.
Mustache Cups and Saucers. 10c and 23c.
Shaving Mugs. 5c and 10c each.
Japanese Cups and Saucers. 10c.
Cracker Jars. 25c each.
Fancy Tea Pots. 10c. 25c. 39c.
Celery Trays. 10c. 23c & 48c.
Spoon Trays. 10c and 25c.
Berry Sets. 62c and 98c.
Fancy Pitchers. 10c. 22c. 48c.
Elegant Water Sets. 89c each
Japanese Nut Sets 39c each.
Japanese Salad Bowls. 25c.

The Racket Store

113 South Main St. — B. J. Snow, Prop.

TRAVELER'S GUIDE.

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Southwest—10:27 a. m.; 5:18 p. m; 1 a. m.
East—5:25 a m; 6:20 a. m.; 12:53 p. m 11.55 p. m; 5:58 p. m.

CHICAGO & ERIE.

West—*7.25 a. m.; *5: 10 p. m.; 10 25 m; 11.54 p. m.
East—5:25 a. m.; 6:20 a. m.; 12 53 p. m 5.58 p. m.; 11:55 p. m.; *9:55 a. m *5:10 p. m.
*Daily except Sunday.
†Runs to Marion only.
‡Runs to Ohio City only.

BIG FOUR.

East bound—8.00 a. m.; local, 9.20 a. m 12.32 p. m, 7:38 p. m.; 10.45 p. m., *5 p. m.
Westbound—5.24 a. m.; 9 55 a. m. *10 a. m., 1:55 p m., 7:13 p m., 8.45 p. m.
*Daily, except Sunday.

HOCKING VALLEY.

North—*7:41 a. m.; 10.20 a. m; 4.07 p. m †6 10 p m, 11:35 p m.
South—5 38 a. m.; 7:15 a. m.; 10:20 a. m *1 18 p m; 7:23 p m.
*Daily, except Sunday.
†Runs to Marion only. A half hour later on Saturday and Sunday.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Northbound—8:17 a. m.; 6:52 p. m.
Southbound—10:20 a. m., 8.05 p. m.

C., D. & M. ELECTRIC.

Depart Southbound—6 a. m.; 7 a. m 8 a. m.; 9 a. m.; 11 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 m.; 3 p m; 4 p. m.; 5 p. m.; 6 p. m 7 p. m.; 9 p. m.; *11 p. m.
Arrive Northbound—†6.55 a. m.; †8 a. m; †7.55 a. m.; 8.55 a. m.; 9.50 m.; 10.55 a. m.; 12.55 p. m.; 1.50 m.; 2.55 p. m.; 4.55 p. m.; 5.50 p. m 6:55 p. m.; 8:55 p. m.; 10:55 p. m.
*Goes to Delaware only. †From Stratford only.

C., M. B. ELECTRIC.

Northbound—Cars leave for Bucyrus at 6 a. m., 8 a. m., 10 a. m.; 12:05 p. m 2 p. m., 4 p. m., 6 p. m. *9 p. m.
Southbound—Cars leave Bucyrus Marion at 7:05 a. m., 9 05 a. m., 11.10 m.; 1:05 p. m., 3:05 p. m., 5.05 p. m., 7 p. m., *10:20 p. m.
*On Saturdays and Sundays cars leave at 8 p. m., and 10 p. m., instead of p. m.
*On Saturdays and Sundays cars leave Bucyrus at 9:05 p. m., and 11:05 p. instead of 10:20 p. m.

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SECRETARIES TO BE PAID DIRECT

Congressmen Will Lose Out on a Little Graft,

IF BILL NOW PENDING IS ENACTED INTO LAW

Taft Reappoints the Governor of Hawaii.

Other Appointments and Promotions Are Sent to the Senate—Texas Congressman Plans To Investigate Conduct of the Attorney General in Staying Arrest of John D. Archbold, Oil Magnate.

Washington, Dec. 4.—Congressmen, who have been withholding a part of their secretaries' salaries, will no longer be permitted to do this, if the provisions of the executive appropriations bill becomes law.

The bill provides that each secretary shall receive "direct" from the disbursing officer his $125-a-month check

Some congressmen have been in the habit of drawing $125 a month with which to pay their secretaries, and then paying them from $40 to $100 a month.

Appointments Today.

Washington, Dec. 4.—President Taft today reappointed Walter F. Frear governor of Hawaii, and Ernest A Mott-Smith secretary of of Hawaii

Charges of fraud were filed against Governor Frear by the Hawaiin delegate last year Secretary of the Interior Fisher was delegated by the president to investigate the charges. On his return from Hawaii in October the secretary gave Governor Frear a clean bill of health.

Secretary Mott-Smith sent his resignation to the president a month ago, but later indicated that he would accept a reappointment.

The recess appointment of Brigadier General James B. Aleshire, to be chief of the quartermaster's corps, with the rank of major general, also was sent to the senate today, together with the promotion of Brigadier General W. W. Witherspoon, to be major general, and Colonel Edward J McClernand, first cavalry, to be brigadier general.

Lieutenant Colonel Edwin P Brewer, Fourteenth cavalry, was promoted to be colonel. Rev. Wallace H Watts, of New York, and Rev. Joseph M. Kangley, of Illinois, were nominated as chaplains with the rank of first lieutenants.

May Get After Wickersham.

Washington, Dec 4 —Representative Garner, of Texas, announced today that he will introduce a resolution in the house, calling for an investigation of the conduct of Attorney General Wickersham in staying the arrest of John D Archbold, now under indictment in the criminal proceedings against the Magnolia Oil company, of Texas, if an investigation he is now conducting results in warranting such proceedings

Will Oppose Proposition.

Washington, Dec. 4.—The New York Democratic delegation in the houes today decided to oppose the resolution authorizing congress to buy Monticello, the home of Thomas Jefferson.

THE COMMISSIONER MAKES HIS REPORT

Claims Against Company Accepted and Rejected.

REJECTED CLAIMS OF MANY THOUSANDS

A Big Offset Against the Claim of John G. Webb, Former President of the C., B. & M. Company, Which Is Accepted — Direction Given as to Payment of Claims.

Special Master Commissioner James H Eymon, of the Columbus, Marion & Bucyrus Railroad company, filed in the common pleas court Wednesday, his long expected report

The master commissioner finds that there is nothing whatever due the following persons and firms:

The Electric Railway improvement company, the Lewis Corrugated Culvert company, Smith Brothers' Hardware company, Advance Lumber company, the Standard Oil company, the C. C. Dunlap company, the Ohio Brass company, Eli M. West, Bailey, Banks & Biddle, M. Clary company, Fairbanks, Morse & Company, W H. McClellan, Ryan & Burke, James S. Webb, and the Western Union Telegraph company.

The claims of the above, amounting to many thousands of dollars, were all rejected.

The Valid Claims.

The claims with interest recognized as valid by the master commissioner are:

The Pennsylvania, $225; Beer & Beer, of Bucyrus, $211.06; Scofield, Durfee & Scofield, of Marion, $386.60; the Hopley Printing company, of Bucyrus, $200; the John A. Roeblings Sons' company, of New Jersey, $10,439.46; the Troy Trust company, trustee for the bondholders, $584,030; John G Webb, former president of the road, $108,609.86, less the sum of $74,916 28, which amount is found due the railroad from Webb because of his failure to complete the line according to contract, thus leaving a balance due him of $33,693.58; Receivers George Whysall and Fred E. Guthery, $10,000.

Former President John G. Webb claims that he said, for the interurban railroad, coupons detached from the first-mortgage bonds, and that there is due him from the payment of coupons the sum of $87,375, which, with the interest, makes his total claim over $100,000.

The Claim of Webb.

In speaking of Webb's claim, Master Commissioner Eymon says:

"That he paid this amount and that it is due him is not denied, and, on the other hand, it is, in a way, admitted by counsel in claiming a setoff of the amount required to complete the railroad according to contract. Said claim to the amount of $33,693 58 should be, and the same hereby is allowed."

Commissioner Eymon finds that the receivers' claim is the first and best lien and that next out of the proceeds he holds the claims of the Troy Trust company and of John G. Webb should be paid.

"In case the proceeds are not sufficient in amount to pay all of both these claims," the commissioner's report declares, "then the two are to pro rate, and, after the payment of the above, all other claims allowed herein are to pro rate in the proceeds, if any, remaining after the payment of the other claims above mentioned, unless sufficient in amount to pay them in full."

The railroad company's cash on hand at the time of filing the report was $1,600, against which there are current bills amounting to $400.

GREEN CAMP NOTES OF SOME INTEREST

Many People Spend Thanksgiving at the Village.

Green Camp, O., Dec. 4. [Special.] —John Ruth, of Delaware, spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ruth.

Mrs William Connell and children, of Marion, spent Sunday with Mrs. Minnie Myers.

Willard Gimell, of Carey, was the guest Saturday and Sunday of Mr. and Mrs William Savidge.

Vernon Zeig, of Heidelberg college, spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Zeig.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Court and daughter, Dorothy, were guests of Mr. and Mrs J. N. Court at Kinsman, this week.

M. A. Porter, who has been quite sick for the last few days, is some better.

Frank Hopkins and Glenn Wisecarver spent Saturday and Sunday at Alger

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Nebergall and sons, Harry and Floyd, of Marion, were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilkins and family spent Thanksgiving with Richwood friends.

MacInnes Neilson, the first number of the lecture course given under the auspices of the M. E. Aid society, was greeted by a large audience at the church, Thursday evening.

A house warming was enjoyed by about forty of the neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs W. H. Somerlot, who have just moved into their beautiful new modern home on the Fish road, east of town Friday evening. The affair was a surprise for Mr and Mrs. Somerlot.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones and daughters, of Marion, and Dr. Frank Murphy, of Columbus, were entertained at dinner Sunday by Dr. and Mrs J G. McNamara.

Rev. and Mrs. H. Hoyt spent Thanksgiving at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Mayfield, near Prospect.

Mr. and Mrs. James Biggins, motored to Mt. Gilead, Saturday, returning home Monday.

Miss Mary Boxwell, and Paul Dudley spent Thanksgiving with Marion friends

Charles Somerlot returned last week from an extended visit with friends at Mineral, Illinois.

Mr and Mrs. M. B. Porter and daughter, of Owens; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith and sons, of LaRue; Mr and Mrs. John McNeal, Talmage Porter and Miss Blanch Porter, of Marion, enjoyed a Thanksgiving dinner at the W. N. Porter home, Saturday.

C A. Sinclare spent Thanksgiving at his home near East Liberty.

Mrs. Vernon Shrote has been suffering a slight attack of pneumonia.

Miss Anice Brown, of Marysville, spent a pleasant Sunday at the M. E parsonage, the guest of Rev. and Mrs. J F Richardson.

Miss Dora Jacobs, of Tiffin, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Jacobs, Thanksgiving.

A pleasing Thanksgiving entertainment was given by the public schools at the Baptist church, last Wednesday evening, and was enjoyed by a large audience.

W. N. Porter and family spent Thanksgiving at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Carl Smith, of LaRue.

Misses Della and Gertrude Stoh, of Carey were guests of friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Martin and son were guests of friends at Greenwich, Thanksgiving.

Miss Osa Almendinger was the guest of Marion friends Sunday.

Mrs. Seth Eisenbice, of Mineral, Illinois, is home for a few weeks' visit.

Mrs. Ethel Carey, Mrs. John Powell and A. E. Northrup spent Thanksgiving with Mrs A. E Northup, in Columbus.

Mrs. Everett Ash and daughter, of Marion, spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. David Schwaderer.

William Slack and son, of Marion, were the guests of Mrs. J. M. Lanius Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Uncapher were at Broadway, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Rush, of Marion, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Petty, Thanksgiving.

I. J. Petty was at Richwood, Thanksgiving.

ELEVEN KILLED IN AN OHIO WRECK

Passenger Trains in a Collision Near Dresden.

ONE BREAKS DOWN ON CURVE ON MAIN TRACK

Second Train Crashes into the Disabled One.

There Are Several Injured in Addition to Those Who Died in Cincinnati & Muskingum Valley-Cleveland, Akron & Columbus Wreck. Some May Lose Lives—Brakeman Too Late To Flag Train.

Zanesville, O., Dec. 4—Three more victims died today as a result of last night's wreck on the Pennsylvania lines ten miles east of here near Dresden, Ohio. The list of dead now reaches eleven.

The dead and injured were brought here. The coroner impaneled a jury and left for the scene just as the maimed were brought in.

A passenger engine, westbound, on the Zanesville division plowed into the rear coach of a train bound for Zanesville from the Cleveland division. The engine and car were telescoped. The entire length of the car was piled on top of the engine and extended from the pilot to the tender. Without a moment's warning the crash came. Passenger were hurled from their seats and every avenue of escape cut off. They were literally cooked alive from escaping steam from the engine beneath them.

The injured who died today were Wilbur Ludwig, forty, bridge carpenter, Zanesville; Jacob Burgy, fifty-five, Zanesville; Mrs. Nellie Taylor, Zanesville.

The Early Report.

Zanesville, O., Dec. 4.—A disastrous wreck occurred on the Cincinnati & Muskingum Valley branch of the Pennsylvania railroad, two miles from Dresden, when C. & M. V. passenger train No. 48, from Trinway to Zanesville, crashed into the rear of the Cleveland, Akron & Columbus local train from Millersburg to Zanesville, killing eight people, fatally injuring three others and seriously injuring three.

The dead: Mrs. B. A. Emerson, 32, of Zanesville, and her two children; Henry Balbian of Cleveland; Henry Bartles, 30, Albion, Mich.; Max Harris, 30, Lodi, L. H. Blaney, 24, Zanesville; unidentified man.

Fatally hurt: Jacob Burgy, 57, Zanesville, father of Mrs Emerson, William Rudrick, 40, of Zanesville; James Bryant, 45, of Lancaster.

Less severely hurt: Frank Saup, 30, Lancaster, express messenger, cut and bruised; Guy Altrock, 30, Bremen, both hands scalded; George Einsel, 35, Killbuck, railway mail clerk, face cut

Soon after leaving Dresden the engine of the C, A & C. train broke down on the curve at Rock Cut, and the train came to a standstill on the main track. A brakeman started back to flag the C. & M. V. train, but before he had gone 50 yards the other train appeared and the collision occurred.

The dead and injured were brought to this city.

The engine plowed through the rear coach and demolished it. The dead and injured were all in this coach, but several escaped by jumping The eight who were fatally hurt were scalded by escaping steam.

The accident to the C., A. & C engine was caused by a plug blowing out.

DISCONTINUES THE ISSUING OF PRICES

Chicago Butter and Egg Board Abolishes Quotation Committee.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—The quotation committee of the Chicago butter and egg board was abolished at the regular session of that body, Wednesday. Hereafter, no official prices will be given out, but values will be established between buyer and seller.

It has been reported many times that the United States government was soon to institute proceedings against the Chicago butter and egg board as being a combination in restraint of trade. Whether this had anything to do with Wednesday's action was a matter the members of the board were disinclined to discuss today.

Cream and butter shades are favorites among shadow laces

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock hens, pullets, cocks and cokerels, also eggs for hatching in season. William Fies, 345 S Prospect St., Marion, O. Phone X-1036.
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APPROPRIATION BILL REPORTED

Assures Wilson of at Least $100,000 Annually.

FIRST BIG SUPPLY MEASURE PRESENTED

Bill Carries Amount Totaling $35,897,105.15.

Salaries of the President, Vice President, Expenses of the House and Senate and Most of the Salaries of the Executive Department Are Provided For in the Bill—House Gets $4,634,100.

Washington, Dec 4.—Woodrow Wilson will be assured of $25,000 a year for contingent expenses, besides his annual salary of $75,000, according to the terms of the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, reported to the house today.

The bill was the first big supply measure laid before the house at this session, and carries a total of $34,897,105.15, as against $35,216,133.38 last year. The treasury department recommended appropriations of $36,550,195 50 and the committee succeeded in effecting an economy of about $1,500,000.

A provision that all ex-presidents shall, hereafter, be representatives at large, with a seat in the house, but without a vote, and drawing an annual salary of $17,500 was recommended by a sub-committee, but was stricken out by the full committee.

The bill carries appropriations for the salaries for the president and vice president, the expenses of the house and senate and most of the salaries of the executive department The increased size of the house is reflected in the total of the appproprietion for that branch For the fiscal year, ending June 30, 1913, there was appropriated for the expenses of the house $4,634,110 25. The next house will cost about $4,923,070.25 a year.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCHMEN RALLY

A Company Numbering About Fifty in Attendance.

BANQUET IS SERVED BY CHURCH LADIES

Some Fine Addresses Are Delivered on Topics of Great Interest to All the Workers of the Church. Prominent Speakers Are Heard. Conference on Church Problems.

The rally of the men of the Central Christian church, which was held at the church, Tuesday afternoon and evening, was one of the most successful affairs that has ever been given by the local church. Over fifty men attended the banquet in the evening, which was given by the ladies of the church. The following delegations from the Christian churches of other cities and towns were present

Rev. W. W Terry, Mr D. A Redding, and Mr. Rainey, of Galion; Rev A. L. Warren, Mr. Ewalt, and Mr. Caris, of Bucyrus; Mr. McGee, Mr Dunn, and E L Baker, of Richwood; Rev C L Baker, Mr. E. P. Rowe, Mr H B. Rice, and Mr. A. R Reinsnyder, of Kirkpatrick.

In the afternoon, the various delegations met at the church and a conference upon church problems was held.

The full number of men were assembled in the evening at the banquet tables. They were addressed by some very prominent churchmen. I. J Cahill, secretary of the Ohio Christian Missionary society, gave an address on the subject, "The Need of Efficient Laymen Leadership" He was followed by M E. Baker, president of the Disciples of Ohio, who spoke on "The Source of the Supply" Rev M L. Bates, president of Hiram college, gave the concluding address on, "Getting Men Ready for the Job." The addresses of Rev. Mr. Bates was the most interesting of the evening. He emphasized the need of preparation of men who wish to become of the most service in the church.

Rev. C A. Pearce, pastor of the local church was instrumental in bringing about the rally

THE PROBATE COURT SCENE OF MARRIAGE

Mrs. June Watts and Mr. Earl Jenkins Are Married.

Mrs. June Watts, a divorcee, of Marion, and Mr. Earl Jenkins, of Salina, were united in marriage by Justice Charles W. Haberman in the probate court, Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The groom is a steam shovel engineer.

Election Payroll.

The payroll for Tuesday's bond election was $633, according to statements filed by the board of elections with County Auditor Jay Spaulding and County Treasurer R. S. Dombaugh. This does not include the rental of the polling places.

OUR FINANCIAL SYSTEM IS BAD

Does Not Prevent Panics, but Helps Them On.

MAC VEAGH URGES IMMEDIATE REFORM

In Annual Report of Finances of the Nation.

Secretary of the Treasury Says as Long as Banking and Currency Laws Remain Unchanged, Government Is Responsible for Commercial, Industrial and Social Disasters—Outlines a New System.

Washington, Dec. 4.—As long as our banking and currency system remains as it is, the immeasurable disaster of a panic will remain a possibility. The system under which we are living not only would not prevent a panic, but after a certain point in the generation of panic conditions is reached, will make it inevitable. So that, as long as the financial system, created by our federal laws, remains unchanged, the government will be exclusively responsible for the commercial, industrial and social disasters which flow from panics."

With this strong warning backing up an urgent plea for immediate banking and currency reform, Franklin McVeigh, secretary of the treasury, opens his annual report on the finances of the nation, which was sent to congress today. Continuing Secretary McVeigh says

"This responsibility is a fixed one. It is unavoidable, and ought to be frankly recognized and acknowledged. The people are helpless. The character of their responsibility is best understood when it is realized that the effect of the panics are not at all confined to the banks and the larger business world."

Panics Far Reaching.

"A panic such as that of 1907, or a lesser panic, reaches directly or indirectly every town and hamlet of the country and every family and individual It nationalizes itself long before it has gone far; and its interruption of the business movements, large and small, its fracture of the organization under which commercial and industrial life go on and the resulting social suffering are prolonged into years.

"These facts intensify the significance of the delays and postponements of the government. A panic is as unnecessary and avoidable as an epidemic of smallpox You can have an epidemic of smallpox if you disregard all that science has provided as a preventive. You cannot possibly have an epidemic of smallpox if you will apply the simple means that science has provided. So we will continue to have panics only so long as we refuse to apply the simple preventives, which he who runs may read.

"Not only does the system established by present federal laws promote and develop panics, but at all times the country is carrying the needless and heavy burden of an unfit and wholly insufficient banking and currency system. This system never permits entirely free commercial or industrial action at any time, because its liability to sudden constraint and restiction is always a part of the nation's financial consciousness."

No Long Look Ahead.

"There is never a time when there is any long look ahead, except when we are in the midst of a panic, when there is a long look of disaster ahead There is never a long look of ease and convenience and prosperity ahead. This is true even in the quietest periods of the year.

"Fortunately, the banks have been able, unaided, to carry on this autumn, the financial operations necessary to the movement of our vast crops and at the same time to finance the operations of the general business expansion—even in the face of a European war. I should have been sorry to feel it necessary for the treasury department to intervene at such a normal period as this. But, of course, it would have assisted if it had become necessary.

"Taking large sums of actual money out of the ordinary financial use and locking it up as a dead mass in the vaults of the treasury, is a proceeding as unscientific and unreasoned as any other part of our unreasoned and unscientific banking and currency system . But, until that system is changed, so as to provide a trusty, system of banking reserves, it seems to me the treasury department performs as incidental to its very bad share in the banking and currency system, some functions as a reserve center which are of very great value.

The New System.

"It is not my intention to speak of the details of this urgent relief measure—this banking and currency legislation. But the general features of the new system—if that system shall be at all adequate to the emergency—must include, among its necessary features, provisions for never failing reserves and never-failing currency and for the perfect elasticity and flexibility of both; for the permanent organization and organized co-operation of the banks, which are now suffering and causing the nation to suffer by reason of their unorganised state; for a central agency, to represent and act for the organized co-operative banks—this agency to be free from political control, but with the government having adequate and intimate supervision of it; for independent banking units—so independent that no one bank can be owned, controlled or shared in in any degree, directly or indirectly, by any other bank; for the equality of all banks, national or state, both as to standards and as to functions—so that every requirement made of a national bank must be complied with equally by a state bank and every function or privilege enjoyed by a state bank shall be enjoyed by a national bank; for the utilization and the fluidity of bank assets; for the scientific development of exchange—domestic and foreign; for foreign banking as an adjunct of our foreign commerce and for taking the treasury department out of the banking business."

Urges a Suggestion.

The secretary urges that the Aldrich-Vreeland law which expires June 30, 1914, be reasonably extended pending legislation, as he declares that it has reduced the dangers of the present banking and currency system He reports the eradication of the wide-spread frauds upon the sugar revenues and states that every needed reform has been established including the introduction of automatic weighing. The report states, "It was found that the weighing frauds extended to various other imports besides sugar and these have also been cleaned up."

Under the caption "travelers smuggling" the report goes on to state "It easily became clear that important demoralizing and obstructive current frauds, upon the revenues, were perpetrated by incoming travelers."

Their correction has seen the revenues from travelers' imports increase at New York alone from an average of $890,688 for the four years preceding the present administration to about $2,100,000 in 1912."

Other Defects.

The report declares that there are serious defects in the appraising work of the government, due to the anomalous relations of the board of general appraisers to the treasury department and that an inquiry is now in progress.

Five hundred thousand dollars was saved last year through a process for laundering currency notes. A new five-cent piece will shortly be issued with designs that will assist the art standards of our coinage

The smaller size paper currency will save $230,000 a year in cost of paper and printing. It will take eighteen months to engrave the original dies and make the necessary plates to print the reduced-sized notes. Touching on opium the secretary says:

"It is of great importance that congress should give its attention to the opium situation in this country. The situation is horrible The smuggling is very great and it is carried on by methods and under circumstances that make the administration of the law most difficult, inadequate and unpleasant."

PLEADS GUILT TO MANSLAUGHTER

Lisbon Pair Will Get from One to Twenty Years.

Lisbon, O, Dec. 4.—Mrs. Mary Burrows and John Cobourn, held for murder of the woman's husband, Contractor Richard Burrows, at East Liverpool, September 2, pleaded guilty to manslaughter after a conference of attorneys today.

Judge J C. Moore will hear evidence in the case, with a view to determining the length of their sentence, the law placing the penalty at imprisonment from one to twenty years.

LOOPING THE LOOP CAUSES EPILEPSY

Unusual Case of David Augenstein in Probate Court.

Looping the loop in a Columbus park caused David M. Augenstein, twenty-seven years old, to become an epileptic, according to the medical certificate filed in his case in the probate court.

Augenstein has been adjudged an epileptic by Judge W. S. Spenser and will be committed to the state home for epileptics at Gallipolis. Augenstein has been subject to epileptic seizures five and six times a day for the past four years.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY TO MURDER CHARGE

Barberton Man Evades Crowd Which Threatens Lynching.

Akron, O., Dec. 4.—Authorities rushed Harvey Shanower to Barberton just before noon, where he was hurriedly arraigned before the mayor pleaded not guilty to the murder of his wife, Friday, waived examination, was held to the grand jury without bail, and then rushed back to the county jail at Akron, successfully evading an angry crowd that had made threats of lynching The murder was particularly atrocious.

Saloon Closed.

County Treasurer R. S. Dombaugh has received a notice of the discontinuance from the local saloon business of J. P. Breen, of Dayton. Breen operated a bar in the Union Depot hotel.

American-Born Wives Out.

Berlin, Dec. 4—Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg made a ruling today that the entries of American-born wives in the German diplomatic corps from now on is forbidden.

SAYS HE CHOKED WIFE TO DEATH

Barberton Man Breaks Down and Confesses.

FREQUENT QUARRELS DESTROY HAPPINESS

Murderer Says He Intended To Kill Himself.

Harvey Shanower Is Caught at Home of Mother in Massillon—Declares Innocence at First, but Later Tells Officials of Crime—Letter Found in Pocket Which Intimates Deed. Prisoner Watched.

Akron, O., Dec. 4.—Before Prosecuting Attorney Frank J. Rockwell, Sheriff Ferguson and Chief of Police H. E. Eby of Barberton, Harvey Shanower broke down and confessed that he had choked to death his 23-year-old wife, Edna Hartgrove Shanower. Frequent quarrels with his wife, he said, had destroyed his happiness, and he killed her, intending also to take his own life.

When her body was found in their home at Barberton by her father and police, a search for Shanower was started. He was found at the home of his mother, Mrs. Melissa Shanower, in Massillon, and declared his innocence. He said that he had left his wife lying on the bed at their home and had gone to the depot. His train was late and he went back to talk to his wife, he said, later taking the train for his mother's home.

Strangled His Wife.

In his confession he said that before his first trip to the depot he had choked his wife to death. When he missed his train he came back to their home and rearranged everything in the room where his wife lay and then went back to the depot.

When Coroner R. C. Kenning, at Barberton, gave his verdict of death by strangulation and ordered that Shanower be held for murder, he was arrested by Chief of Police Emertle, at Massillon, and held for Chief Eby.

In Shanower's pocket was found a letter to his brother Clarence directing him to straighten up his business and household affairs and asking forgiveness "for all the trouble I have and am about to cause."

When arrested he declared his intention of killing himself, but no weapons were found on him, although a close watch will be kept on him at the county jail, where he is held for the grand jury without bail for murder in the first degree.

According to Thomas Hardgrove, Mrs. Shanower' brother, Shanower was extremely jealous of his wife, and this was the cause of their many quarrels.

Shanower is a machinist in Barberton and his wife was the daughter of a prominent Barberton family.

JACK JOHNSON AND CAMERON GIRL WED

Marks End of Fight of Girl's Mother and Women's Clubs.

Chicago, Dec. 4.—Jack Johnson, negro pugilist, brought to a climax the series of exciting events that have crowded his life in the last few months by marrying Lucille Cameron, an attractive white girl, whose home is in Minneapolis, and for the love of whom a large part of the negro's troubles with the federal and city authorities is responsible.

It was the discovery that the pugilist had transferred his affections to this 19-year-old girl that caused his first wife, Etta Duryea, white, to take her own life on the second floor of the "Cafe de Champion" several weeks ago.

The ceremony took place at the home that the pugilist gave his mother on Wabash avenue, in the presence of two score friends, white and black, of the prizefighter. It was performed by Rev. H. A. Robinson, negro pastor of the African M. E. church.

This marks the end of the bitter fight made by the mother of the girl, Mrs. Ethel Cameron Falconet, and several women's clubs in Chicago.

NO AMERICANS DIE IN PHILIPPINE TYPHOON

Only One Reported Missing; Number of Natives Dead Unknown.

Washington, Dec. 4.—No Americans were killed in the typhoon which crossed the Philippine islands and only one American, John Green, who left Subuyan, November 27, for Romblon, in a launch, is reported missing.

The bureau of insular affairs is not advised as to Green's former residence in the United States. It is stated that Green's wife is now enroute to the islands from the United States.

Information received today does not disclose the number of Filipino fatalities.

THREE CREMATED IN ATTEMPT TO ESCAPE

Prisoners in a Louisiana Jail Lose Lives Today.

Crowley, La., Dec. 4.—Three men were cremated in an attempted jail delivery here early today. They were: William Collier, Los Angeles; Carter Grace, St. Louis; Wilson Everett, Chicago. The men were serving time for intoxication.

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DECEMBER HEAVENS ARE VERY INTERESTING

Professor Eric Doolittle Writes of Stars and Planets.

GREATER DOG STAR CENTER OF ATTRACTION

Three Times as Large and Forty Times Brighter Than the Sun—It Enters the Heavens During the Month—Venus Twenty-Five Times Brighter Than Saturn.

The most interesting object in the heavens this month is undoubtedly the beautiful planet Venus, which with its extraordinary brightness and the rapidity with which it climbs up through the evening sky, will at once attract the attention of every observer. For many weeks we have seen this silvery-white world shining out in the northwest just after sunset, and throughout this time it was easy to see that it was drawing rapidly eastward from the sun. On November 7 it passed Jupiter in its eastward motion; in less than a week the apparent distance between the two worlds had increased to eight degrees and by the end of the month they were not less than twenty-five degrees apart. But all this time the brighter planet was moving rapidly southward among the stars, so that we saw it set continually farther and farther toward the south point of the horizon. On November 20 it had reached a position more than twenty-five degrees below the celestial equator, which is nearly two degrees lower than our sun ever gets in the sky, but after this date it began to move slowly northward again.

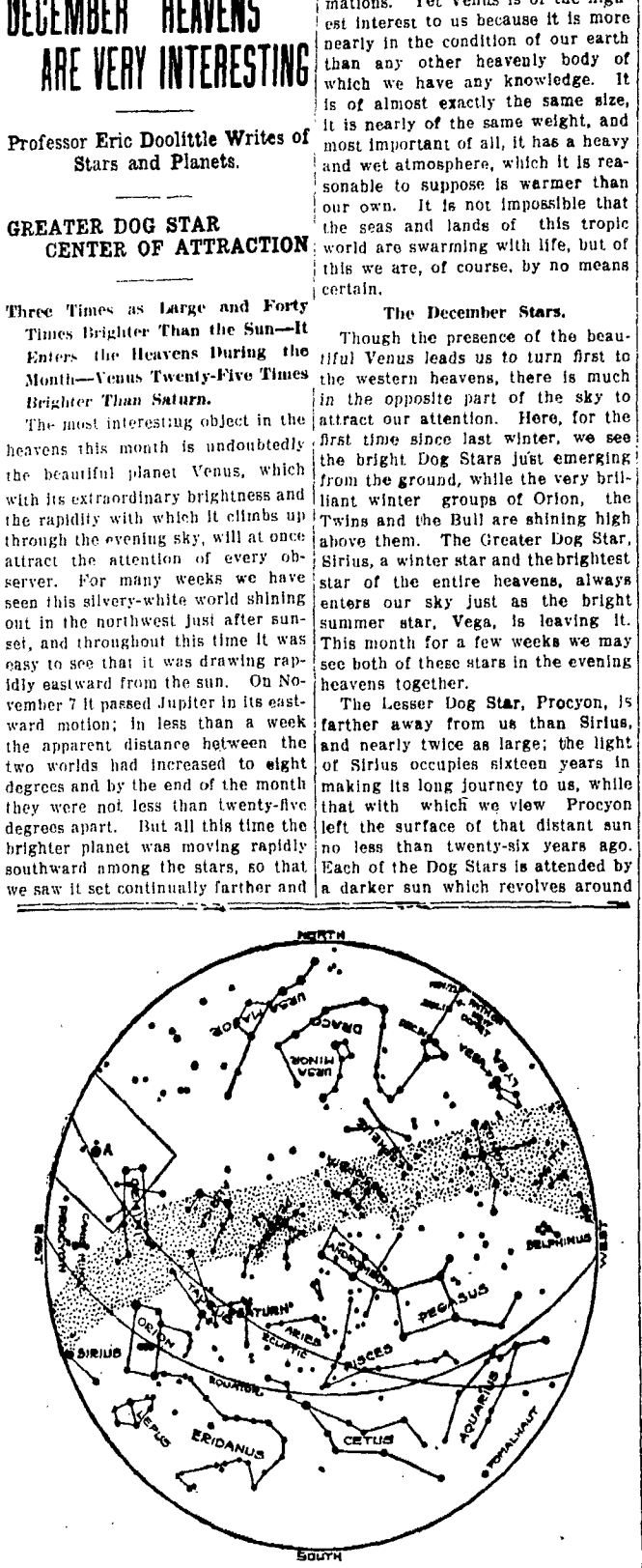

Figure 1. The Constellations at 9 p. m., December 1.
(If facing east, hold "East" below; if facing west, hold "West" below. If facing south, hold the map upright; if facing north, hold the map inverted.)

The Planet Venus.

During the first days of December Venus will be seen shining in the southwest for more than two hours after sunset, while by the end of the month it will not set until three and one-half hours after sunset. At this time during the early evening hours it will be high in the evening sky, where it will pour out twenty-five times as much light as the planet Saturn and exceed by more than twenty-three times the brightness of Vega, which is our brightest northern star.

In the telescope Venus now has the appearance of a bright little moon, slightly more than half full. The round edge of the ball is very brilliant; as we approach the line which separates the day side from the night side of the planet the surface becomes much darker. Yet it is universally recognized that this world is always surrounded by so dense an atmosphere that we have never been able to penetrate with our telescopes to the solid ground below. If there are any living creatures on this world it is doubtful whether they ever see the sun or stars, for their skies are always cloudy.

All apparent markings which have hitherto been observed on Venus are almost certainly merely cloudy formations. Yet Venus is of the highest interest to us because it is more nearly in the condition of our earth than any other heavenly body of which we have any knowledge. It is of almost exactly the same size, it is nearly of the same weight, and most important of all, it has a heavy and wet atmosphere, which it is reasonable to suppose is warmer than our own. It is not impossible that the seas and lands of this tropic world are swarming with life, but of this we are, of course, by no means certain.

The December Stars.

Though the presence of the beautiful Venus leads us to turn first to the western heavens, there is much in the opposite part of the sky to attract our attention. Here, for the first time since last winter, we see the bright Dog Stars just emerging from the ground, while the very brilliant winter groups of Orion, the Twins and the Bull are shining high above them. The Greater Dog Star, Sirius, a winter star and the brightest star of the entire heavens, always enters our sky just as the bright summer star, Vega, is leaving it. This month for a few weeks we may see both of these stars in the evening heavens together.

The Lesser Dog Star, Procyon, is farther away from us than Sirius, and nearly twice as large; the light of Sirius occupies sixteen years in making its long journey to us, while that with which we view Procyon left the surface of that distant sun no less than twenty-six years ago. Each of the Dog Stars is attended by a darker sun which revolves around it. From the study of the motions of these we learn that Sirius is three times as large and forty times brighter than our own sun, while Procyon is nearly twice as large as Sirius. When we remember that our earth is only one-millionth part as large as our sun, we realize that the stupendous size of these wonderful systems is truly inconceivable. It should be added that both of the darker attendants to the Dog Stars were discovered from a mathematical discussion of the positions of their primaries many years before they were ever seen in any telescope.

North of Procyon and below the twins there may now be seen the most interesting constellation of the Crab. This is the faintest of all the constellations of the zodiac, so that to the astrologers it was known as the Dark Sign, and its influence was considered particularly unfortunate. To the Chaldeans it was known as the Gate of Men,—the region of the stars through which when men were born their souls descended in their passage from Heaven to the earth. Its most interesting object in a small telescope is the striking cluster of stars at A, figures 1 and 2, which appears to the eye as a faint cloud of light, but in a very small telescope is readily seen to be composed of about 150 stars crowded closely together.

The very slowly moving, far-distant planet Neptune is now just entering the borders of Cancer and has therefore again been brought into our evening sky. As this outermost known member of our sun's family of worlds occupies 165 of our years in passing around the heavens, its motion among the stars is very slow. As will be seen from figure 2, it has during the past three years moved but a short distance toward the border of Gemini. Neptune is too faint to be seen with the naked eye. In the telescope it appears as a small, greenish disc on which no markings can be seen, attended by a single satellite which is of almost exactly the same size as our own moon and at almost the same distance away from its planet. But the planet itself is a ball of heated vapor no less than 35,000 miles in diameter and is therefore a very different world from our.

The New Comets.

The first comet of the year was discovered toward the close of September, at which time it was far below the equator in the southern sky. Since this time it has been moving almost exactly northward among the stars, and throughout December will be visible low in the northwest. The comet is a faint, telescopic object and it will continually grow fainter because it is receding both from the sun and from the earth. When brightest it was seen to have a diffuse head, of an apparent diameter about one-sixth that of the moon, and a faint, slender tail.

On October 18, a second faint comet was discovered in the constellation Sextans, a little west of the brightest star of the Lion, which is now a constellation of the morning sky. This object is moving rapidly southward and is not now visible in northern latitudes. Computations indicate that it is identical with a comet first seen in 1790 and again discovered in 1858, and whose return was looked for toward the close of the present year. These are the only new comets of the present year. It is quite unusual for so many months to pass without our being favored with at least a few of these celestial visitors.

Planets in December.

Mercury enters the morning sky on December 8 and reaches its greatest distance west of the sun on December 28. At the latter date an unusually favorable opportunity will be afforded for viewing it, for it will then rise in the east more than one hour and a half before sunrise.

Venus will be seen shining most conspicuously in the southwestern sky in the early evenings throughout the month.

Mars and Jupiter are too near the sun to be observed. The former entered the morning sky on November 8, and the latter passes the sun and becomes a morning star on December 18.

Saturn is high in the east between the Hyades and the Pleiades, in excellent position for observation.

Uranus is too low in the west for satisfactory observation. The observer who wishes to find it may most easily do so on the evening of December 1., since at this time it is just one degree and thirty-six minutes due north of the planet Venus.

Neptune is near the eastern border of Gemini, and toward midnight reaches a position sufficiently high in the sky for satisfactory observation.

The sun reaches its lowest point in the heavens on December 21 at eleven hours thirty-seven minutes p. m., and this is, therefore, the shortest day of the year.

The earth is nearest the sun on December 31 at 8 p. m., we will then be three millions of miles nearer that body than when we are at our greatest distance toward the end of June.

Eric Doolittle.

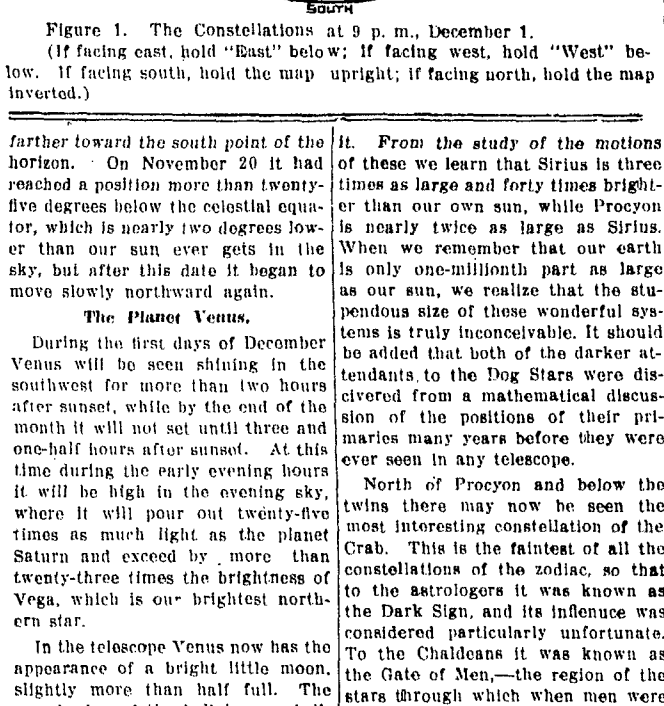

Figure 2. The square of Figure 1 enlarged to show the motion and present position of the planet Neptune.

THE RAILROADS.

Miss Helen Niblick, of Decatur, Indiana, was the victim of a woman pickpocket on Erie train, No. 232, Monday. Miss Niblick was enroute to Delaware to attend college, and was in company with another girl enroute to the same place. After leaving the train here, she discovered the loss of her small leather purse which she carried in the watch pocket of her Peter Thompson suit. The purse contained a little over $10.

Miss Niblick returned to the train, which ends its run here, and searched around the seat that she had occupied, but was unable to find her purse. It then occurred to her that after leaving Kenton a woman with a long black coat and wearing a black hat with a large plume, assisted her in fixing the collar of her coat without any solicitation for assistance. Up to this time Miss Niblick remembered of having her purse. Miss Niblick missed the southbound morning train, and tried to locate the woman around the station, but she had disappeared. The theft was in turn reported to the police and a search for the thief is being made.

A car load of horses belonging to Alex Switzer, of this city, was wrecked in the Big Four railway yards here, Friday evening. That the horses were not killed is a marvel, for the car in which they were riding was smashed to pieces, says the Bellefontaine Examiner.

The horses had been loaded, Friday afternoon, to go East in a fast freight train to Buffalo. The car was being moved to the eastbound yards when it came in collision with a cut of cars loaded with cinders. The horse car suffered from the impact and some of the horses are badly injured.

There were twenty-three horses in the car and they were valued at $7,000 by Mr. Switzer.

A good polish for patent leather shoes is made by mixing one part linseed oil and two of cream. Mix thoroughly, and after every particle of dust has been removed from the shoes, apply with a piece of flannel, then rub the leather with a soft cloth.

LENORA M. GORENFLO IS GRANTED DIVORCE

Is Given Alimony and Custody of Her Child.

MRS. GEORGE HAYES SEEKING A DIVORCE

Charges Husband with Being a Wife-Beater—A Suit in Attachment Is Begun Against Harry W. Riley by His Former Wife—Seeks To Recover the Sum of $936.50.

Lenora M. Gorenflo was awarded a decree of divorce from Julius C Gorenflo, a lunch-counter clerk, late Friday afternoon. She was also given custody of their one child and the father was adjudged to pay $10 a month as long as the child is kept in school, or until she is eighteen years of age. The daughter is now fourteen years of age.

The Gorenflos were married at Green Camp, March 27, 1898. September 9, 1912, Mrs. Gorenflo, through Mouser & Moloney, began an action for adivorce. She charged drunkenness and cruelty. September 16, 1912, the husband filed an answer, setting up a general denial. Later, the answer was withdrawn and the wife's action was uncontested.

Myrtle Hayes, nee Priddy, through Attorney L. E. Myers, Saturday, brought an action for a divorce from George Hayes, charging him with being a wife-beater. She says he repeatedly assaulted her, and failed to provide for her.

The plaintiff was married to the defendant at Gallipolis, November 17, 1906. She asks restoration to her maiden name.

A suit in attachment against Harry W. Riley was begun by Etta McClelland, his former wife, in the court of common pleas, through Crissinger & Guthery, Friday afternoon. She seeks to recover $936.50 for the care and maintenace of their minor child from December 22, 1904, when she was awarded a decree of divorce and the child's custody. At that time, she says Riley had nothing, but since then he has become solvent and is well able to pay for the child's support.

Because he did not want to conflict in any way with the defendant's alimony proceeding pending in the Delaware court of common pleas, Judge William E. Scofield, last Friday, continued until the next assignment of the docket the divorce matter of Thomas B. Smith against Harriet Smith.

Mrs. Smith, large and nice-looking, appeared with her witnesses to contest her husband's action. Her husband is a rural mail carrier out of the Prospect postoffice and recently brought suit against John J. Roberts, the village postmaster, for $10,000 damages because of the alleged alienation of his wife's affections.

A large number of Prospect people assembled in the court room to hear the expected racy testimony.

Mrs. Smith's alimony proceeding came up before the common pleas judge in Delaware, Saturday, and it is for that reason Judge Scofield continued the divorce hearing. The divorce hearing might be a bar to the alimony proceeding, but the latter can not possibly be a bar to the action for divorce.

Monday afternoon, the H. C. King Lumber company, through Crissinger & Guthery, brought an action in the court of common pleas against John V. Wilson to recover a judgment for $1,000, with six per cent. interest.

June 19,1912, according to the plaintiff, H. C. Shaftsall entered into a contract with Wilson to build a house on Superior street. On the same date Shafstall, it is alleged, entered into a contract with the plaintiff company for the furnishing of material to be used in the construction of the house, giving a written order on Wilson for $1,000. It is set up that the building material would not have been furnished except upon the expressed agreement of Wilson to pay for it. The written order has been lost, it is averred, but the plaintiff company asks judgment against Wilson for $1,000.

A suit to compel specific performance of contract was begun by Jacob W. Schweinfurth and Kate Schweinfurth, his wife, through Attorney Hoke W. Donithen, Tuesday, against Joseph W. Allmendinger and his wife, Dora L. Allmendinger. The plaintiffs allege that the defendants entered into a contract to buy a farm of eighty acres near Bucyrus and that they moved on the place, but have since refused to comply with their contract entered into December 20, 1911. They ask judgment in the sum of $8,700, with six per cent. interest from March 1, 1912. All the defendants have paid on the place, it is alleged, is $500.

In the old suit of Horatio Hoyles against Marcellus M. Kerstetter and Lydia Kerstetter, his wife, the defendants, through Crissinger & Guthery, have filed a motion to require the plaintiffs to strike from the petition certain portions, certain alleged irrelevant matter. This is a suit over a house and lot in Marion commenced in June, 1907, and plaintiffs asking $1,500 damages.

If your thread insists on knotting unthread your needle and thread it from the other side. It will not trouble you then.

APEX OF CIVILIZATION

By William T. Ellis.

The International Sunday-School Lesson for December 8 is, "The Child in the Midst," Matthew 18: 1-14.

The times seem out of joint, as a serious-minded observer contemplates many phases of our modern civilization. But pessimism turns to optimism when we come to look at society's attitude toward the child. In this one respect, assuredly, we percieve that the twentieth century is an alert and an eager pupil of the Teacher who kept school two thousand years ago amid the beautiful flowers and the black-eyed children of Palestine. Never since God revealed Himself in the Babe of Bethlehem has the world shown such intelligent care for the child as is witnessed today.

We hear much of the poor children of the street, but their number is steadily diminishing. A truer and more representative type is that of the well-dressed, well-fed, well taught boys and girls who fill the highways of this western world. It is a common remark that the sons of today are taller than their fathers. Their physical inheritance, as well as their mental and social, is better than that of the generation before them. It is the spirit of our time that the child shall be given a chance.

One of the wonders of this new western world is the transformation that is being wrought in the children of immigrants, whose fathers and mothers were ignorant peasants and serfs. A few days ago I saw a college football team led to a brilliant victory by a young Italian lad, who is so near the immigrant station that his comrades, in the rather brutal camaradarie of youth, call him "guinea" and "wop." They accepted his leadership, none the less.

The Great Philosophy.

New York's child welfare exhibit is being duplicated by smaller displays all over the continent. At Philadelphia's wonderful baby saving show we saw the foremost doctors and social leaders of the city doing drudgery in behalf of the child. The science of eugenics, which is making such strides, aims at nothing more than fair chance for the child of tomorrow. The new doctrine of conservation has swiftly been applied to the conservation of human life, which means the saving of the child. Society today is frankly facing the problem of becoming efficient at its springs.

That is a profound philosophy, up to the plane of which the world is only now reaching; yet Jesus taught it long ago. His words, are now bearing their inevitable fruit: As we muse upon this lesson, let us remember that while the famous philosophers of all time have been painted in various attitudes, it is only Jesus who is depicted with His hand on the head of a child. He is the Teacher who has set the child in the midst.

Nowadays it is as certain as the stars in their courses that every child's right to be well born, well fed, well taught, and to enjoy a care-free youth, is becoming the supreme concern of society. These privileges are today being regarded as the right and heritage of every baby. The evils of child labor, or tenement life, of ignorant rearing, and ill-nutured infancy, will ere many decades be only a hideous memory. The spirit of Jesus is warring against them. The mind of Christ, as set forth in this present lesson is becoming the common mind of man.

What Is Normal Success?

In the light of the strong words of Jesus, many of us are called upon to revise our ideas of success. Is the woman who wears the most diamonds and the best dresses, and attends the most brilliant functions and has her name oftenest in the society columns, the really successful woman? Are we to count as having pre-eminently achieved that man who has the largest bank account, is director in most corporations, belongs to the best clubs, drives the handsomest automobiles, and is talked about oftenest in the papers? Superficially, that is the way the world has been thinking. It is time for us to have a serious session with ourselves upon this subject.

The truth which becomes clear to any thoughtful mind, although Jesus has thrown the most light upon it, is that normal success for the average man or woman is to give a large part of his or her mature life to the rearing of sons and daughters. This is the greatest privilege and honor that God ever gives to mortal. More than that the highest enjoyment to be had in all the world is to be found in the family. The joys that taste sweetest and last longest are fireside joys. A family of boys and girls is more pleasure than a stable full of fast horses and fine automobiles. To have one's name on the loving lips of sons and daughters is better worth while than to have one's name in the papers. They who may, and do not, know the privilege of living for children, will eventually, through long and lonely years, taste ashes of repentance. Jesus made the service of the little ones the worm of life. When we get confused in our thinking concerning success, it is well to remember that "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my children, ye have done it unto me."

The Child Standard.

Not childishness, but childlikeness, is counted the mark of the mature soul. Jesus makes the spirit of the child the test of citizenship in His kingdom. We know, dimly, that the greatest are the simplest. Why not away, then, with our empty modernism and sophistication? Let us get back the sincere, direct and wholesome life which characterizes childhood. Lest this seem an over statement, let me quote the mighty words of Jesus, which are the heart of this lesson.

"In that hour came the desciples unto Jesus, saying, who then is greatest in the kingdom of heaven? And he called to him a little child and set him in the midst of them, and said, Verily I say unto you, Except you turn, and become as little children ye shall in no wise enter into the kingdom of heaven. Whosoever therefore shall humble himself as the litle child, the same is greatest in the kingdom of heaven. And whosso shall receive one such little child in my name receiveth me; but whoso shall cause one of these little ones that believe in me to stumble, it is profitable for him that a millstone should be hanged about his neck, and that he should be sunk in the depth of the sea.....See that ye despise not one of these little ones; for I say unto you, that in haven their angels do always behold the face of my Father who is in heaven....Even so it is not the will of your father who is in heaven that one of these little ones should perish.

The Test Of Our Time.

In part, at least, these standards of Christ are becoming the standards of our world. This is the most wholesome and optimistic truth that can be recorded concerning our time. Even in graft-ridden communities, school boards are commonly free from politics. The amazing educational progress of the United States and Canada is the highest tribute to our civilization. The playground idea is sweeping over the continent. Much of the best art of our day is devoted to books for children. Great stories and departments exist for the ministry of children alone. Even as the wise men brought gifts to lay at the feet of the Bethlehem Babe, so at the feet of the children of today civilization is offering its choisest and richest tribute. The child is the apex of our civilization.

In this respect the church is following her Master. There is no department of organized Christianity which is increasing in efficiency so rapidly as the Sunday-school. It is not only growing in America, and and engaging the weekly effort of a great company of men and women, but it is also steadily improving in quality. The child is in the midst of society today; and by its treatment of little children the world is proving its allegience to the children's best Friend.

SAFEGUARDING OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH

One Simple Measure in Sale of Postage Stamps.

The United States government in all its departments is safeguarding its employes and patrons as to the preservation of health as far as possible. One regulation in the postal department, which illustrates the care exercised, is found in the manner prescribed for the delivery of postage stamps to the patrons. The regulation provides that the stamp should always be handed out gummed side up.

The reason is that by so handling the stamp germs may not be picked up from the counter and transferred to the mouth when the stamp is moistened with the tongue. It appears a trifle, but even a postage stamp laden with germs has its possibilities.

OBITUARY.

Smith—Susie Smith, wife of Thomas C. Smith, and one of eight children of Orren and Sarah Messenger, was born November 14, 1856, in Big Island township on what is known as the Messenger homestead. She was united in marriage to Thomas C. Smith, April 15, 1875. To this union, three children were born, Clyde C. Smith and Hamer B. Smith both of Marion. One son died in infancy. Besides the husband and two sons, the deceased leaves the following brothers and sister: Henry Messenger of Big Rapids, Michigan; Wayne and Almon Messenger, of Claridon township; Van H. Messenger, of Hale Center, Texas; Mrs. E. S. Marsh, of Crestline, and Albert Messenger of Big Island township. One brother, Elsworth, died in youth. Besides her brothers and sister, she leaves one half-sister, Mrs. Matilda Thompson, of Burbank, California. Besides these relatives she leaves four grandchildren and other more distant relatives. An unnumbered host of friends remain to sincerely mourn one so kind, loving and true. Brother and sister Smith enjoyed almost thirty-eight years of happy companionship, when she was stricken by apoplexy and died November 16, 1912, aged fifty-six years and one day. The great central cord which for so many years has held this family together has been snapped asunder, and our loved mother has passed before us into the great beyond. Mother had many virtues well worthy of our imitation. Let us cherish them in our hearts. Remember her many kind words and noble self-sacrificing deeds, and so live that our love for the departed may make us more kind, gentle, and loving to and for the living. The funeral services were held Sunday, November 17, 1912, at the Pleasant Hill church, Rev. J. A. Sutton officiated. Interment was made in the Marion cemetery. ***

MRS. GEORGE WORDEN SEEKS DIVORCE DECREE

Charges Husband with Violations of Marital Contract.

HUSBAND EARNING SUM OF $5,000 A YEAR

Owner of Valuable Property at Richwood and Has Money in the Bank—Mrs. Worden Wants Accounting as to Money Given by Plaintiff to Her Husband.

Suit for divorce was filed in Common Pleas court, Monday, by Attorneys Hoopes, Robinson & Hoopes, acting for Mrs. Sylvia Worden, of Richwood. She makes many charges of neglect and misconduct against her husband, George W. Worden, publisher of the Richwood Gazette, says the Marysville Tribune.

Mrs. Worden goes into many little details of her married life, which was ended so unhappily. She says she was wedded to George Worden December 30, 1880, and they have one daughter, who has reached her majority and is now married and living in her own home.

For the past three years, Mrs. Worden alleges, Worden has been guilty of habitual drunkenness. On or about the 20th day of November, 1912, she says, and on divers other occasions, he was guilty of adultery.

According to the wife's petition, Mr. Worden is the owner of real estate in Richwood, valued at $9,000, and also owns the printing establishment of the Richwood Gazette and Marysville Republican, worth at least $10,000.

Furthermore he owns a half interest in the patent and patent rights of the Scarf Gearless Motor Car company, and has on deposit in the First National bank, of Richwood, $450. Plaintiff, however, states that unless he is restrained by the court, Worden will dispose of or encumber these assets with a view of thwarting justice and keeping her from her lawful rights.

Mrs. Worden also states in her petition that some years ago she received, about $3500 from her father's estate, $2400 of which she turned over to her husband to be used in his business. For this she asks an accounting.

George Worden is capable of earning and does earn $5,000 per year, his wife says, while she is in poor health and without any funds.

Mrs. Worden says that at the time this suit for divorce was filed her husband was away from home spending his money in an extravagant manner, on which account she asks the court to restrain the First National bank, of Richwood, from honoring Mr. Worden's checks.

Mrs. Worden asks for a divorce also both temporary and permanent alimony, and further requests that the court enjoin Worden from disposing of or encumbering any of his property until the question of ali money is settled.

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE JOINED IN MARRIAG

Miss Nellie Milum and Mr. Leonar Schwabel.

Mr. Leonard Schwabel, son of M and Mrs. George Schwabel, of Ma rion county, and Miss Nellie Milun daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abraha Milum, of Marseilles township, wer joined in marriage at the Presbyte ian parsonage, Saturday evening 6 o'clock, by Rev. C. B. Wible, sa the Upper Sandusky Union-Republ can.

After the ceremony, the coup went to the home of the bride's pa ents, where they will spend son time. The groom has been engag in operating a threshing machin Both he and his bride are well lik and highly respected by their ma friends.

A MARION COUPLE MARRIED IN CANAD

Miss Gladys Parratt and Mr. K Goedicke.

The many friends here of Mi Gladys Parratt and Mr. Karl Goe icke will learn with surprise of the marriage, which took place at Wi sor, Canada, November 21. T young people were joined in m rriage by Rev. F. W. Holinrake, of t First M. E. church.

The bride is a daughter of M and Mrs. W. B. Parratt, of Linco avenue, and has a wide circle of f miring friends. The groom is a s of Mrs. Katherine Goedicke, of O street, and is employed by the E Railroad company. The young p ple will reside in this city.

WILL MAKE FUTURE HOME IN THIS CI

Miss Esther Lutz and Mr. James Fate Wed.

Miss Esther Lutz, of Bucyrus, a Mr. James Benjamin Fate, of t city, were united in marriage, M day afternoon, at the home of bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lutz, of Galion street, Bucyrus. R Mr. Wanner, of the Christian chu of Bucyrus, performed the ceremo in the presence of the bride's pare Mr. and Mrs. Fate left immediat after the service for their home this city, which is on Darius stre

Mr. Fate is the son of Mr. Mrs. Boston Fate, of this city. Fate has many friends in her ho city.

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TRAGEDY DISCLOSED AT HOUSEWORTH HOME

Harry Houseworth and Mrs. Bertha McNamara Dead.

BODIES ARE FOUND AT NOON THURSDAY

Mystery Surrounds the Death of Man and Woman Who Are Missing Since Monday Evening—Discovery Made by Two Women. Gas Stove Burns in Room.

What I believed by some to be a double suicide, was disclosed shortly afternoon Thursday, when bodies of Mrs Bertha M McNamara, estranged wife of William McNamara, and Harry Verne Houseworth were found on a couch davenport in the front room of the first floor of the home of Benjamin Houseworth, a brother of the young man, on Franconia avenue

The bodies were found by Mrs. Benjamin Houseworth and Mrs Effie Barkalow, a sister of Harry Houseworth Mrs McNamara has been employed at the home of Benjamin Houseworth since she was estranged from her husband last April.

Saturday, Mrs. Houseworth went Bucyrus for a visit at the home of her husband's brother. Before leaving, she requested Mrs. McNamara not to stay in the house alone, and Mrs. McNamara stated that she intended going to the home of an aunt to stay She had possession of the key to the house, as she had all of her clothes there.

Missing Some Time.

As near as can be learned from relatives, the victims had not been seen since Monday, and some of the relatives began to feel that all was not right at the house Benjamin Houseworth and his wife both being absent from home, Mrs. McNamara continued to stay at the house.

Monday evening, Harry Houseworth called at the grocery of Mrs. Anna May Provine, on Center street which touches the rear of the lot of the Houseworth home, and purchased a few edibles. According to Mrs. Provine, neither Houseworth nor Mrs. McNamara ever were seen to come out of the house after Monday evening

As some of the relatives of Mr. and Mrs Houseworth were unable to get into the house, and finding all of the blinds down, they telephoned to Mrs Houseworth at Bucyrus, and requested her to return.

A Horrible Find.

Mrs Houseworth arrived home on the twelve-o'clock car at noon, and in company with her sister-in-law, they went to her home on Franconia avenue Paul Tonguet, the small son of a neighbor, was put through a rear window and opened the back door Mrs Houseworth and Mrs. Barkalow entered and to their horror found the victims on a bed davenport in the front room A small round gas floor heater was still burning in the room, but there was no strong odor of gas.

There were no bed clothes on the davenport and both of the victims were dressed, Houseworth not having removed his under coat, while Mrs McNamara had probably taken off her overskirt to keep from mussing it She had on a shirtwaist which was partially opened from the top, and also had on her shoes

A Suicide Pact.

The fact that there was but a slight odor of gas in the small room for the time the gas was burning, and that there was a pan which had been used by Mrs. McNamara in which to vomit, leads to the belief that the deaths were due to a suicide pact. The woman was frothing and had been bleeding from the mouth, while the lips of Houseworth had the appearance of being burned. However, no bottle or papers containing poison were found about any of the rooms. The theory of some of the relatives is that they were overcome by the burned gas fumes

Coroner W. H. Hinklin was called soon after the discovery of the bodies, and after investigation stated that he could not give an accurate cause of the double tragedy until an autopsy is held. The remains of the young man were removed to the morgue of Hess & Markert, and those of the woman were taken to the morgue of Postle & Curtis

Dependant on Relatives.

Bertha M McNamara was twenty-six years of age and came to Marion about eight years ago from Magnetic Springs The death of her mother and departure of her father, Harvey Thompson, made her dependant on relatives since she was quite young. The whereabouts of the father are unknown. She is also survived by two half sisters. She frequently made her home with her aunt, Mrs Ida A. Runkle, whose mother raised her.

Harry Verne Houseworth, a son of Mrs. Emma Houseworth, was eighteen years old last June He was quite large and powerful for a boy of his age and worked most of the time driving hacks, and around various livery stables. He was very well known in the city, and well liked by his friends for whom he was always ready to grant a favor. Besides his mother he is survived by two sisters and three brothers. They are Mrs. Effie Barkalow and Benjamin Houseworth of this city, Miss Flora Houseworth, of Waldo, Jay Houseworth, of Bucyrus, and Charles Houseworth, residing in Morrow county.

CITY IN BRIEF.

Laying Foundations—The work of laying the foundations for the new Presbyterian church on the corner of east Center and Barnhart streets has been begun, and the structure will be rushed to completion as rapidly as possible

Passes Examination—Miss Vivian DeHaven, of Belmont street, who recently took the civil service examination for a postoffice clerk, has passed with the highest grade of the applicants and is now eligible to a position of clerkship. Miss DeHaven is a teacher in the Waldo schools. her success will be learned with pleasure by her many friends

Progress of Work—The work on the new central fire station on south Prospect is progressing at a very rapid rate. The foundation and compartment walls have been entirely laid and the steel girders of the first floor have been laid in place. The rough boarding of the floor of the structure has been almost entirely laid Work on the rear wall has been begun and some of the window frames have been put in place

Completing Paving—The work of paving Church street will be completed as far as Prospect street this week. J & M. Doyle, the contractors, are taking advantage of the fine weather and are hoping for a week more in which time they expect to lay all of the asphalt from State to Elm street The work on the east end of the street will progress more rapidly than on the west end, owing to the company's plant being closer. The residents of the street and officials of the city are well pleased with the work thus far completed, it being one of the best sheet asphalt paving jobs the city has had

A SPECTATOR FAINTS AT DE HAVEN TRIAL

The Trial Halted While Youth Is Given Treatment.

GLOOM PERVADES THE COURT-ROOM

Jurors Are Witnesses of Tragedy of Tuesday. When Little Girl Is Killed—The Witnesses on Stand in the Trial—Notes from Common Pleas Court.

The fainting of a spectator caused a halt in the murder trial of William DeHaven shortly before 11 o'clock Wednesday, while Dr. C. C. Smith, the witness, attended him.

The spectator was Benjamin McKibben, twenty years old, residing near Caledonia, who collapsed as Dr. Smith was minutely describing the autopsy performed by him and Coroner W. H. Hinklin on the body of Simeon Glathart, Claridon township farmer and alleged victim of DeHaven.

Young McKibben, who is subject to heart trouble, was carried from the court-room into the judge's private office, where he again fainted. Dr Smith's description of the autopsy is thought to have caused the fainting attack.

After the physician declared the youth out of danger, he resumed the stand and DeHaven's trial continued.

When the trial was begun at 9 o'clock Wednesday, a gloom pervaded the court-room on account of Tuesday's tragedy, in which the jurors played an innocent part when little Clara Strawser was killed by a street car in endeavoring to get out of the way of one of their machines while they were enroute to the scene of the Glathart murder in Claridon township.

Among the witnesses of the morning were James Glathart, brother of the dead man; Coroner W. H. Hinklin, Deputy Sheriff Cornelius Breen, Frank Jackson, Dr. C. C. Smith and James McKinstry.

That afternoon, Mrs. James McKinstry was called to the witness stand She told of having met DeHaven the next morning after the murder She was accompanied by her husband. She said that DeHaven was nervous, but she thought nothing of it. When her husband asked him to get into the buggy and go back to the Glathart home she testified that DeHaven declined to do so, saying that he would be arrested

Practically all of the morning testimony was immaterial. The testimony of Coroner Hinklin and Dr. Smith was confined to a long-drawn out description of the autopsy

The jury was empaneled Tuesday afternoon All of the jurors are married. They are.

Frank Epley, of Claridon township; W. E. Smiley and John Scranton, of Montgomery township; L. E. Clapsaddle, Lewis Murphy, George Fies, J. F Apt, Michael English and William Mahaffey, of Marion; Charles Allmendinger, of Pleasant township; John Imbody, of Bowling Green township, and Theodore Cook, of Salt Rock township.

Three panels of eighty-four names were used before the twelve jurors were obtained. After they had been sworn by County Clerk W. W. Klinefelter, the jurors were bundled into automobiles and taken to the Glathart home, in Claridon township, to view the scene of the murder. They were in charge of Sheriff John G. Stark. DeHaven, the alleged slayer, declined to accompany the party, as he was privileged to do under the law.

The last panel of fifteen was picked by Judge Scofield, and the jury was empaneled as a result. The judge selected the names of men whom he thought would make good jurors and who would be accepted by the attorneys.

DeGolley & DeGolley, representing the defendant, have subpoenaed the following new witnesses: Sherman Lance, Mr. and Mrs. William Koch, Mr. and Mrs Wesley Campbell, A. W. McColley, Chares Winch and Elizabeth Gist

When William DeHaven, indicted for the murder of Simon R. Glathart, Claridon township farmer, took the witness stand in his own defense, Thursday at 2:30 o'clock, the court-room was packed.

Attorney John D DeGolley, through his questioning, had the witness to tell of his unhappy boyhood, and led him very slowly up to the time the murder was committed.

The witness declared he had been drinking excessively and that his mind was cloudy; he had no recollection of the murder scene as depicted by Thomas Roberts, who testified that DeHaven killed Glathart.

According to DeHaven's story, he had been without a home since he was fourteen years old because his parents had become estranged. He said he was not sure just where he was born, but thought that he was born in Morrow county

DeHaven said that he had been drinking hard for several days before the tragedy and sleeping in barns and haystacks, having suffered an attack of delirium tremens.

Prosecuting Attorney Charles L. Justice gave the witness a severe grilling

Many Spectators

Interest in the DeHaven trial is increasing, judging by the crowds attending Wednesday afternoon and this morning. The majority of the spectators come from Claridon township and Morrow county.

No unusual testimony was given by the various witnesses examined Wednesday afternoon or Thursday

Thomas Roberts, who claims to have been the only eyewitness to the crime, occupied the witness chair practically all of Wednesday afternoon. He told substantially the same story that he told a reporter for the Star in the jail following his arrest with DeHaven for the murder He described how Glathart had ordered him to leave his home and how DeHaven shot him in cold blood; how, then, DeHaven, shoving the revolver against Roberts' breast, made him promise never to tell; how DeHaven later suggested that the body be buried and when Roberts declined to do that, how he planned to make appearances indicate Glathart had committed suicide, by placing the revolver on the floor near the dead man's right hand.

Roberts told a straightforward story, and DeHaven's counsel were unable to shake it materially at any time.

Story of Roberts.

Thursday morning, after Roberts was again called to stand to testify as to some unimportant details of the crime, the state rested, and the taking of the testimony of the defense began by the calling of character witnesses

That the defense intended to rely on a defense of temporary insanity was thought to have been indicated Thursday, when Drs A. Rhu. F. Young and H L. Uhler were summoned. Another witness subpoenaed by the defense was James Sharrock Fifty-two witnesses have been summoned by the defense, and the trial may not be concluded this week

The state subpoenaed only thirteen witnesses and used nine of them But the probabilities are that the others will be used in rebuttal, as Thursday Prosecuting Attorney Charles L. Justice told Court Bailiff Charles Dee that he would use Sharrock, the defense's witness, in rebuttal.

Following Roberts' testimony other witnesses were called by Prosecutor Justice to corroborate as near as possible Roberts' story Officer A. W. McColley, of Marion, described the appearance of the room in which Glathart was slain and corroborated in almost every particular Roberts' description

Miss Audrey Slemmons, office stenographer for DeGolley & DeGolley, seated at the counsel table, is taking in shorthand all of the testimony for her employers.

William F Mack against Gotlieb F Mack, Amanda Mack and Ollie B Mack, is the title of a suit in partition begun in the court of common pleas, Wednesday The petition was filed by Attorney E W. Schoenlaub.

The plaintiff, as a nephew of the late Christopher F Mack, sets up a claim of half interest in about forty-one acres in Richland township, known as the Gracely farm He prays that his interest be set off to him in severalty and if that can not be done without manifest injury to him he asks that the premises be sold.

The plaintiff is a son of Adam Mack, deceased, who was a brother of Christopher F Mack.

The suit of Lewis & Harmon against Wesley Roberts, has been settled out of court This was an action started last October, the plaintiffs seeking judgment for $127.61, with six per cent interest from November 1, 1911. It was a suit over a contract for the purchase of farming implements

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An amendment to and supplemental petition was filed by Minnie Ethel Ward in her suit for a divorce from John W Ward, through Attorney L. E. Myers, Wednesday She says that on the day she filed her petition she was called to Lima by the defendant who represented to her that he was very sick. She declares she went to Lima only to learn that her husband was recovering from illness caused by drinking too much intoxicating liquor. But, she says she brought him to her home. As soon as he recovered from the effects of the spree, however, she declares he abandoned her. November 28, 1912. So she asks that she may be divorced and that she be given custody of their daughter.

In the partition suit of William J. R. Hunter, an insane person, by Ernest R. Webber, his guardian, against Charles Hunter and others, Fannie Hildreth, a defendant, through Attorney H. Edmund Hill, has filed her answer, consenting to the partition and the sale of the premises described in the petition. She sets up a one-third interest in the estate as a sister of one of the heirs-at-law of Henry J Hunter.

In the partition suit of William C. Gongway against Myda G. Black and others, Wednesday, Judge William E. Scofield found for the parties according to the prayer of the petition. A writ of partition was ordered, returnable forthwith, and George W. Carey, Edward L. Schultz and G. C. Young were named as commissioners.

In the suit of William E. Frye against Mildred M. Scoville and others, the plaintiff has filed his reply to the answer and cross-petition of Mildred M. and Hurlburst S. Scoville. He admits that the mortgage-deed described in the petition was executed and delivered to him by the Scovilles to secure a promissory note of $600, and sets up a general denial as to other allegations.

Thursday morning, Judge Wm. E. Scofield accepted and confirmed the report of the commissioners in the partition suit of James T Walton against Ida V. Neal and others There being no election to take, he issued an order of sale. The property involved is located in Claridon township

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In the matter of the trustees of the Trinity Baptist church Thursday, Judge William E. Scofield granted the prayer of the petition and authorized the transfer of the old First Baptist church property on north State street to the First Universalist church.

Use old table napkins for glass and china towels

WILL PRESENT GAVELS TO MASONIC LODGE

Captain A. P. Cutting To Visit the LaRue Masons.

Captain A. P. Cutting, an aged veteran of the war of the rebellion and also veteran in Masonry, who at present resides in Kenton, has promised to visit the LaRue lodge, if health is sufficient, the evening of December 27, at which time he will personally present the brothers with three valuable gavels, says a LaRue news item. This promises to be one of the most ineresting sessions ever held in our lodge room. The personal remarks of Captain Cutting giving an account of how he procured this valuable wood while visiting in the Orient some time since and when he presents them to this lodge, "The First Love," being a member of years ago. All Masons everywhere are cordiallly invited to attend the meeting.

RYLAND NAPPIER ADJUDGED INSANE

Will Be Taken to the State Hospital in Columbus.

Ryland Rhodes Nappier, aged sixty-four years and blind an inmate of the Marion county infirmary, was adjudged insane by Probate Judge W. S Spencer, Thursday Nappier's insanity is believed to be hereditary Several days ago an affidavit was filed against him by Chief Nurse Charles Felty, of the infirmary, whom Nappier is alleged to have tried to kill Nappier is declared to be extremely violent He will be taken to the state hospital for the insane in Columbus by Sheriff Joe G. Stark.

PROBATE COURT.

John J Fite has been appointed executor of the estate of the late Anna W. Fite, deceased.

Timber ...med.

New York, Dec. 5.—Manager Joe Evers of the Chicago club announced that negotiations for the transfer of Joe Tinker by the Cubs to the Cincinnati Reds have been resumed.

The receipts for passenger service of the Swiss federal railways in 1911 were a trifle over $15,000,00

The Store for Values.

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ON SALE FRIDAY

Last Year's Holiday Goods

Priced to Close Out in a Day.

We carried over some Holiday Goods from last season, and to make quick work of it, and provide real bargains for early Christmas shoppers—it will be sold at a ridiculous low price.

It's all desirable, some of the boxes may be soiled, but otherwise all perfect. Find it all on one counter—priced so low, you'll surely want to see it.

$10 SILVER BON BON SETS, 7 pieces in pretty case..... $1.98

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$3.00 and $4.00 SILVER SHAVING MUGS, now priced $1.50 and..... 98c

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$1.00 BRONZE, also SILVER PIN CUSHIONS and DESK WEIHGTS 25c

50c BRONZE INK WELLS, at 25c

Silver and Bronze Match Holders, Pin Cushions, Hain Pin Holders, Ash Trays, values up to 75c—take quick choice at only..... 9c

Half Price for These

Our table of Novelty Necktie Racks, Pipe Racks, Shaving Pads, Hat Pin Holders and other Holiday Goods, at just Half Marked Prices.

Men's Silk Sox

All our Men's Silk Socks that are carried over, pure silk, heavy lisle sole and heel, all shapes, no blacks, 75c value, take them at.....29c

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Fancy Baskets, Hampers, Etc. 3d floor

Only 16 Shopping Days 'till Christmas.

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Visit "THE CHRISTMAS BAZAAR."

BE SURE TO SEE THE GIFTS IN "THE XMAS BAZAAR."

One of the most attractive spots in the entire store is "THE CHRISTMAS BAZAAR." The entire rear-center section is set apart for the display of articles especially appropriate for giving.

Boxed Stationary, Baskets, Initialed Stationary, Mirrors, Leather Traveling Sets, Leather Bags, Booklets, Brass Novelties, Cards, Parisian Ivory Articles, Christmas Novelties of every description, 25c.

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Women's pure linen Handkerchiefs with a hand-embroidered initial in corner 25c

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Admirable Christmas presents, every one, beginning with the coats of rough materials at $8.75 instead of $15.

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MEN'S SILK HOSE 50c "ONYX" GRADE 29c PAIR.

On sale tomorrow morning.

All first quality, no "seconds." The kind men like to wear—put several pair on your gift list.

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Black, Gray, Tan, Blue, Helio, Green, Burgundy.

Every pair wonderful at the price. We could take every pair of these specially purchased hosiery into our own stock and sell them at the regular price of 50c; but instead, the whole lot goes as a Christmas special at 29c.

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As we are installing automobile service in place of horse cabs, we will offer for sale at 135 North Main street,

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Our Cab and light Livery equipment, consisting of

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One fine bay pair, weighing 2200, and 7 and 8 years old; one gray coach team weighing 2100, 7 and 8 years old; one brown team weighing about 2000: three bay horses and one bay cob, one gray horse, two brown mares, one sorrel horse. All city, broke and good workers.

A COMPLETE LINE OF VEHICLES.

One newly-painted coupe, one pall-brearers' coach, four newly-painted coaches in first class condition; also six other coaches: one large depot wagon, one runabout, three phaetons, two carriages, one storm buggy, five buggies, one light spring wagon, one baggage wagon, one trap, three bob-sleds, one sleigh, one wagonette. Also whips, robes, harness, blankets and other miscellaneous articles.

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An Evening Is Passed with Music and Conversation.

THE ROVER GIRLS TAKE LONG WALK SUNDAY

Plans Are Laid for a Hike Next Sunday—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rodgers Are Host and Hostess to a Company of Friends at Dinner. La Rue News Notes.

La Rue, O., Dec. 5.—[Special]—Mrs M C. Clements and Miss Ruth Entrikin entertained, Tuesday evening, at a six-o'clock dinner. A social evening was spent with music and conversation. Those present were Mae Stahl, Neva Johnson, Anna Hesser, Burdetta Thomasson and Edith Marsh.

The Rover Girls took an enjoyable walk, Sunday afternoon, which took them seven miles northeast. The girls stopped at the home of Winfield Dickason where wine and hickorynuts were enjoyed. The next meeting will be held, next Sunday, when the members of the club will invite their gentlemen friends with a chaperon to accompany them.

Miss Ella Raub went to Perrysville, Wednesday, where she will remain for an indefinite stay at the home of her sister, Mrs. Q. O. Covert.

Miss Geneva Simpson, of Delaware, returned home, Friday, after spending several days at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Simpson

E E. Everett and daughter, Mable, of north of town, spent one day of last week at the LeRoy Hensel home, near Kenton.

Mrs M. O. Watkins and son went to Caledonia, Wednesday, to remain for a few days.

Misses Mildred and Esther Guthery of south of town, spent from Friday until Sunday with relatives and friends at Delaware.

Miss Helen Hesser spent Saturday with friends at Marion.

Mrs Benjamin Hatcher and two children, of Marion, spent from Thursday until Saturday with relatives here.

Miss Lulu Helwig went to Marion, Wednesday, to remain for a few weeks

John Creviston is spending a few days at Marion

Mrs. Lydia Lovisa and daughter Vera, spent the latter part of last week at the Rolland Prettyman home at Lima.

Mrs. S. J. Clayton and son went to Marion, Wednesday, to spend the day

Ralph Slagel went to Quincy, Wednesday, to remain until Saturday with his grandparents.

Mrs. Arthur Marsh spent from Friday until Wednesday with relatives at Galion.

Roy Clarke, who has spent the last few months in Lima, Marion and the surrounding towns, returned to this place Friday.

Mr and Mrs. Charles Rodgers entertained at an elaborate six-o'clock dinner, Thursday evening, the following guests: Mr. Arlie Coons and family, of Byhalia; Mr. and Mrs. Don Clements and son, Irvin, of DeCliff; Mr and Mrs. Frank Horton and son, Ralph, and daughter, Gladys, and Mr. Earl Sagers, of Essex; Mr. and Mrs. B Benson, of Zanesfield, and Mr. and Mrs William Smiley and children and Mr. Ralph Wise, of this place.

Miss Zoe Wingerd, of north of town, was a Marion visitor, Friday.

Henry Entrikin, of Columbus, spent from Thursday until Saturday with his sister, Miss Ruth Entrikin, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Clements

Mrs Willis Clarke spent Friday at the home of her daughter at Marion.

Misses Lena Johnson and Carrie Johnson, spent the latter part of the week at the home of the former's brother, Cleston Johnson, of Lima.

Miss Mable Everett was a Kenton visitor, Friday.

Miss Hazel Markwith, who is attending school at Delaware, spent from Wednesday until Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. L. Markwith.

R B Curl visited from Wednesday until Saturday at the home of his brother, Dr. G. R. Curl, of Edgerton. Returning home, Mr. Curl setopped in Toledo.

Walter Shirk, of Rising Sun, visited relatives at this place from Thursday until Sunday.

Miss Faus Harmon, of Marion, spent the visited part of last week at the Paul Arnold home.

Miss Alice Winters, of Marion, visited last week at the Dr. S. M. Hesser home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Henderson and Mr and Mrs. Charles Shirk spent Saturday and Sunday at the Caleb Holt home near Mt. Victory.

George Fink, of Columbus, was a LaRue visitor Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mr[illegible]ne Graham, of Delaware, spe[illegible] days of last week at the Joh[illegible] Guthery home, south of town

[illegible] Blue visited Wednesday in Toled[illegible]

Mr[illegible] Milton Rhodes, of Meeker, is s[illegible]ing several days with her siste[illegible]ss Lally Hastings.

E[illegible] Everett and daughter, Mable visited relatives at Upper Sandusky, Sunday.

Miss Farol Marmon, of Morral, spent her Thanksgiving vacation at the Grant Copeland home.

Miss Mae Stahl had for her guests, Thursday and Friday, the Messrs. Ivan, Bert and Ralph Downs and Miss Cartha Belle, of Caledonia.

Cleo Holliday visited friends and relatives in Columbus the latter part of last week.

J. J. Jerome, state boiler inspector, spent Tuesday at the A. J. Thomassen home here.

Marshal Burdge went to Columbus last week to remain a few days.

Mrs. Julia Davis, of Toronto, Canada, came Friday to remain for the winter months, at the home of her brother, Irvin Clements, of north of town. Mrs. Davis broke her right arm a few weeks ago.

David Bent is critically ill of liver trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ault entertained the following guests, Thursday, at a Thanksgiving dinner: Mr. and Mrs. William Pfeiffer and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Pfeiffer and son, of Forest; Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Ward, Mr. Jacob Casper and family, Mr. Frank Laubis and family and Mr. Earl Pfeiffer, of Kenton; Mr. Joseph Pfeiffer, of Van Lue; Mr. George Banning and family, of Hepburn; Miss Maud Dunson, of Hepburn; and Mr. Burle Hune and family, of this place.

Cloris Holliday, of Columbus, spent from Friday until Sunday with his mother, Mrs. B. F. Holliday.

Edward West, who has been spending several days here, returned to his home in Columbus, Wednesday.

Rev. M. C. Wisley commenced a series of meetings, Sunday evening, at the Montgomery church.

Miss Mabel Dilsaver, of Richwood, is spending an indefinite time at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. C. Clements.

Don Jones, of Mt. Victory, spent Thursday at the A. J. Thomasson home.

Miss Zoe McGuire, of Marion, returned home Saturday after a short visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Long and little daughter, of Columbus, spent the latter part of last week at the home of Mrs. Long's mother, Mrs. Mary Riley. They were accompanied home by the grandfather of Mrs. Long, George Miller, who will remain for a short visit.

The members of the Simeon Shirk family held their annual reunion at the G. B. Henderson home, north of town, Thursday At noon a fine dinner was served. After dinner a program was given, consisting of recitations, readings and music by the Landgrabe orchestra. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Charles Shirk, president and T. L. Shirk, secretary. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lingo, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shirk and family, Mr. and Mrs. H S. Shirk and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Shirk and family, Mr and Mrs. Charles Brown and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Lingo, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lingo, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Landgrabe, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Bergman, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Shirk, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Brady, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Shirk and family, Mrs. Emery Clement and son, Messrs. Hiram Shirk, Martin Shirk, Ray Miller, Holmes Lingo, Thomas Hanawalt, William Campbell and Ivalon Clement, of this place; Mrs. Jesse Shirk, and Howard and George Fink, of Columbus, and Walter Shirk, of Rising Sun. The next meeting will be held at the Caleb Holt home, near Mt. Victory.

Howard Barker, of Pharisburg, spent the latter part of last week at the G. A. L. Markwith home.

Lyle Bunson, of Idaho, is spending several weeks in this vicinity with relatives.

Elmer Barker, of Richwood, spent Sunday with friends here. He was accompanied home by his brother, Howard Barker, who had been visiting here.

MYSTERY SURROUNDS SHOOTING OF WOMAN

Is Attacked While Passing Deserted Cabin Near Belle Center.

Kenton, O., Dec. 5—Mystery surrounds the shooting of Mrs. John McGinnis, aged forty-two, residing ten miles south of this city, who was fired on last night in a field near her home. Her right eye was shot out and a serious wound was inflicted in her right side

Although she will probably die, Mrs. McGinnis says she does not want to prosecute and the police take this to mean that she knows the name of her assailant. The police say that intimations received from members of the McGinnis family indicate the shots were fired by a nighbor woman. Stories of ill-feeling between the two women involving jealously strengthen the belief of the police.

Mrs. McGinnis was crossing a field near her home, when she was fired upon from a deserted cabin. Both barrels of a shotgun were emptied into her head and body. She staggered to her home and fell in a faint upon arriving there.

Bloodhounds put on the trail soon after the arrival of the police went to the home of a neighbor. The family expressed surprise, but Deputy Sheriff Lawrence says he found a shotgun at the house that had been recently fired.

A daughter of the injured woman says the neighbor woman once told her that she had discovered notes written to her husband by Mrs. McGinnis. She says the woman told her that if ever Mrs. McGinnis stepped on her farm she would kill her.

The injured woman was brought to the Antonio hospital in this city, today, where her right eye was removed. Thirty-five shot, also, were taken from her head. She will live.

TWO JUDGES OF PEKINESE SPANIELS HAVE COME TO AMERICA TO TAKE PART IN THE CELEBRATED TOY DOG SHOWS IN NEW YORK

MRS. CAROLINE HERBERT "ZORA" MRS. SEALEY CLARKE

After a tempestuous voyage across the Atlantic, Mrs. Caroline Herbert, who will judge Pekinese spaniels at the toy show in the Waldorf-Astoria; Mrs. Sealey Clarke, who will judge the same quaint little breed at the third annual show of the Pekinese Spaniel Club at the Plaza Hotel, and Zora, a mere mite of a Peke puppy, are now in New York.

Little Zora is not to compete for honors at either show, but was merely brought over by Mrs. Clarke for Mrs. Henry Harper, of that city. Mrs. Clarke owns the Broadoak Kennels, the bright particular star of which is Broadoak Beetle, three times a full champion. Both Mrs. Herbert and Mrs. Clarke are recognized as authorities on this popular breed of dog, and both are members of the Pekin Palace Association of London, England. Mrs. Herbert will be in America several weeks, making a trip to Canada before returning to England

THE DOWNS HOME SCENE OF GATHERING

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Downs Host and Hostess.

Martel, O., Dec. 5—[Special]—Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Downs entertained Sunday at dinner the following guests: Mrs. Dora Galleger and son, Eldin, of Kenton; Mr. and Mrs. William Lindsey and daughter, Lola.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baldinger and son, Richard, of Marion, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Sharrock and family, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alcade Williams spent Thanksgiving at the home of their daughter, Mrs. John Harrison and family, of Caledonia.

A. F. Garver and son, Chester, who are working at North Lewisburg, were home Saturday and Sunday.

The Thanksgiving entertainment given by the Christian church, Wednesday night, was well rendered and a large crowd was in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Stone and Miss Ruth Heileman, of Delaware were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Heileman, last week.

Miss Lola Lindsay was a Marion visitor, Monday.

Miss Feoby McKinstry, of Marion, and Miss Mills, of Bucyrus, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Neff and family, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mary Kohler, of Cleveland, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Reece, last week.

George Weidemaier and family moved their household goods from Marion to the William Rutherford property, Thursday

Miss Jessie Longacre, of Caledonia, was the guest of Miss Minnie Rosen, from Wednesday until Friday.

Mrs. John Neff was a Bucyrus visitor, Friday.

Mrs. Lawrence Mason and Mrs. Minnie Fate, of Edison, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Judson Bending, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Neff were Galion visitors, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs T S. Crissinger, Mrs Albert Garver and Mrs. Frank Spurlock were Marion visitors, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernal Keis and family, of Bucyrus, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. John Neff, Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Clare Shock and Mrs. Ida Stuckey, of Bloomville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. oJhn Lipply, last week.

Mrs. W. F. Sharrock, Mrs Nellie Manaham and Mrs. May Manaham, of Marion, were entertained, Friday, by Mr. and Mrs. George Sharrock.

Mrs. A. S. Downs entertained the Ladies' Aid society at her home, Wednesday.

Alexander Cockran is ill.

Mrs. Elizabeth Reece and daughter, Mary Kohler, were Marion visitors, Monday.

Mrs. Dora Galleger and son, Eldin, returned to their home at Kenton, Monday.

REAL ESTATE.

J. B. Benz to Andrew Benz, 100 acres in Big Island township, one dollar.

Alice Beckley to J. R. Prettyman, twenty acres in Bowling Green township, $1,800.

J. B. Crow to Ella O. Myers, three lots in Marion, $10.

G. W. Carpenter to T. J. Navin, lot in Marion, $2,400.

C. L. V. Casto and others to J. V. Wilson, lot in Marion, $25.

C. A. Curtis to Charles Wolf, part of lot in Marion, $5,150.

Ernest S. Danner to T. S. Tumbleson, lot in Marion, $2,000.

G. W. DeLauder, by administrator, to G. W. Raub, lot in La Rue, $60.

Flora I. Elliott and others to Rosa Smith and others, eighty acres in Claridon township, one dollar.

J. W. Grau to Frank Stallsmith, 160 acres in Big Island township, $16,000.

J. W. Grau to Willa Spaide, lot in Marion, $3,000.

Frank A. Huber and others, trustees, to C M. Coonrod, part of lot in Marion, $3,500.

W. T. Jones to Flora E. Erwin, lot in Marion, $3,500.

J. H. Johnson to L. M. Thompson, 130 acres in Green Camp township, one dollar.

John A. Key to Fred W. Warner, lot in Marion, $1,500.

Rosa Keller to L M. Thompson, about fifty-two acres in Green Camp township, $7,500.

A. H. Myers to J. B. Crow, three lots in Marion, $10.

G. P. Montgomery to T. W Markey, part of lot in Marion, $1,600.

A. G. Moss to Minnie Moss, part of eight lots in Marion, one dollar.

Emily C. Mayfield to Jessie D. Morton, lot in Marion, $1,200.

O. L. Murphy to J. H. Moore, lot in Marion, $1,200.

Thomas McClain to Homer S. Post, part of two lots in Marion, $1,600.

C. C. Owen to Rosa Smith and others, part of lot in Claridon, one dollar.

Nellie Ohls to F. J. Condon, part of two lots in Marion, $3,350.

J. R. Prettyman to D. F Pletcher, part of lot in Marion, $2,400.

S H. Porter to Rosa Keller, about fifty-two acres in Green Camp township, $7,000.

J. F. Stallsmith to J. W. Grau, lot in Marion, one dollar.

Harry O. Stoll to Harry Werts, lot in Marion, $100.

L. M. Thompson to Rosa Keller, 177 acres in Green Camp township, $23,010.

Cora A Titus to C M. Coonrod, part of two lots in Marion, one dollar.

Edith Williams to Cora B. Williams, undivided one-half interest in about 272 1-2 acres in Salt Rock and Grand Prairie townships, $6,000.

J. V. Wilson to W. Fred Camp, part of lot in Marion, $2,000.

A good polish for white canvas shoes is made with ordinary lump starch mixed with sufficient water to make a thin paste.

MRS. JOHN MILLER CLAIMED BY DEATH

Passes Away at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Rath.

Mrs. Sophia Miller, aged seventy-nine years, eight months and twenty-four days, died from the infirmities of age at the home of her daughter, Mrs C. J. Rath, No. 731 east Church street, Wednesday evening about 6 o'clock. She had been ill a year or more.

The deceased moved to this city from Galion with her daughter last February. She was the widow of John Miller, to whom she had been married forty-five years.

Mrs. Miller was born in New York state, April 10, 1832, her maiden name being Hasselman. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Rath, of Marion, and three stepsons, Henry Miller, of Marion; William Miller, of Dayton, and Peter Miller, of Dunkirk, New York.

Mrs. Miller was a member of the German Lutheran church and of the St. John's society at Fredonia, New York.

Today the remains were shipped to Dunkirk, New York, where the funeral services will be held at the home of her son, Peter Miller. Interment will be made at Fredonia.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING IN NEW YORK CITY HAS NOW STARTED IN EARNEST

Herald square and other districts in the shopping belt are alive with buyers who have heeded the call to do their Christmas chopping early.

The tendency to make Christmas purchases early and avoid the rush and discomfort of last minute buying has been growing from year to year. In fact, the managers of several big department stores declare the holiday buying has begun a few days earlier each succeeding year for the last four or five years.

MANY LITTLE NOTES GATHERED AT MORRAL

The Village Residents Entertain Guests During Week.

MASQUERADE AFFAIR GIVEN BY REBEKAHS

A Company Numbering Seventy-Five Is in Attendance—The Second Number of the Village Lecture Course To Be Given at the F. B. Church, Next Tuesday.

Morral, O., Dec. 5.—[Special.]—About seventy-five people enjoyed the masquerade social given by the Rebekahs at the I. O. O. F. hall last Friday evening. One of the pleasing features of the evening was a grand march in which all took part, after which, a box supper was enjoyed.

The second number of the lecture course will be given by James G. Whiting, a lecturer, at the F. B. church, Tuesday evening, December 10.

Mrs. James Miner and son, Jerry, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. E. Osborne, at Mt Victory.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bender and son, Byron of Upper Sandusky, visited relatives here, Thursday.

Miss Hazel Schultz visited friends at Marion, Friday night and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Swinhart and family spent Thursday with relatives at Little Sandusky.

Clifford and Delbert Willoughby spent Thanksgiving with friends at Fostoria.

Mrs. A. L. D. King, of Prospect, was a guest at the F. H. Wiley home several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wilson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Cook near Wyandot.

C. D. Hudson and O. Washburn are attending the stock show in Chicago, this week.

Miss Georgia Parker, of Nevada, Missouri, returned home last week, after a three-weeks' visit at the Eli Baer home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Welsh and daughter, Mary Alice, of near Wyandot; Mr. and Mrs. A. Baldwin and sons, William and Robert, spent Sunday at the C. J. Schultz home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Newland and family, of near Harpster; Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Baker and family, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Alkire, Thursday.

Miss Hazel Cottrell spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Herr, at Marion.

C. E. Enz spent Thanksgiving with friends at Deshler.

Mrs. H. J. Stevens, of Plain City, spent several days last week at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. B. Sherwood.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Crim and daughter, Ethel, and Miss Marjorie Landon spent Thursday with Mr. and Harry Crim, at Marion

Master Devere Hickman, of Marion, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Burley.

Miss Beaulah Cottrell was an Upper Sandusky visitor, Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. O. M. Young, of Marion, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Jerew, of Fostoria, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Jolley, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ferguson and daughters spent, Wednesday night, and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ferguson, near Meeker.

Miss Mary Fish visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Fish, at Green Camp, from Thursday until Sunday. Misses Grace and Helen Bardon were also week-end visitors at the Fish home.

Miss Adda Norton is visiting relatives at Marion, this week.

Mrs. J. K. Brady, Miss Hazel Lupton and P. Brady, of Marion, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Morral, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Morral and daughter, Avah, S E. Morral and sons, Harold and Oscar, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Shoats north of Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hinamon and daughters, Donna Mae and Josephine, were guests of relatives at Leipsic, Thursday and Friday.

Miss Myrtle McClay visited friends in Toledo from Thursday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Briggs and family, of Marion, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Watts.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Ingle spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Foreman.

Mr. and Mrs. TenEick, of Marion, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bardon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ballinger, of Plain City, were week-end visitors at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Perry Ingle.

Mrs. William Cottrell and son, Pearl, of near Harpster, spent Sunday at the C. F. Cottrell home.

Mr. and Mrs. T J. Lucas and family, William Miller and son, Ralph, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stouffer, Mrs. O. Washburn, Mrs. C. D. Hudson, Mrs. William Fulton, Mrs. Samuel Fulton, Miss Demeral Moore, Miss Ethel Crim, William Pangborn and George Swhavel were Marion visitors, Saturday.

Mrs. John Campbell spent Thanksgiving at the home of her brother, J. S. Neff near Milan, Michigan.

Dwight Mahaffey, of Ada, visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Mahaffey, from Wednesday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drake, of Magnetic Springs, visited several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. George Drake.

Henry Lyons, of Columbus, spent several days last week with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Parker and family spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Green, at Harpster.

Russell and Helen Brady spent a few days last week with their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Brady, at Delphos.

Miss Ferol Marmon visited relatives at La Rue, from Thursday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Landon spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. George Drake.

E. F. Berkeley, of near Nevada, was a visitor here, Thursday.

Mrs. C. H. Powell spent a few days last week with relatives at West Mansfield.

Mrs. Eli Baer is visiting her brother at Nevada, Missouri

Mrs. H. S. Giles was a week-end visitor at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ned Mulcahey, near Peoria.

Miss Ruth Forry is visiting friends at West Mansfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion McIntyre and daughters spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank McIntyre, at Forest.

Miss Anna Haines returned, last Friday, after a visit with friends at New Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lewis spent Thursday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Lewis, at Upper Sandusky.

Mrs. G. W. M. Case, of Ft. Wayne, Indiana, visited at the S. C. Baker home, Friday and Saturday.

S. B. Cresap was a business visitor in Cleveland, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gump spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Weimer at Upper Sandusky.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mahaffey and son, Wilbur, spent Thursday at the William Schwilk home at Upper Sandusky.

Miss Eva Walterhouse, of Marion, visited relatives here from Thursday until Sunday.

David Bretz is visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. H. Bardow.

Lyman Landon is visiting at the home of his brother-in-law, W. N. Egger, at Bryan.

Eugene Cody, of Owens, spent Sunday with friends here.

Misses Ethel Crim and Edith Sherwood spent Sunday with Miss Marjorie Landon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Friend and son, Dwight, of Columbus, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Giles.

H. S. Giles spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnson near Mt. Victory.

PLANNING TO PROVIDE PROPER HITCHING LOT

Plan To Place Hitching Racks on Evans Lot.

A VERY CONVENIENT AND DESIRABLE SITE

Under the Arrangement Planned About 150 Rigs Can Be Accommodated—The City Will Be Asked To Keep the Lot Clean and To Give Police Protection.

The advertising committee of the Marion club is endeavoring to complete arrangements that will provide the farmers driving into the city with proper and convenient places for hitching. A central location is of course heartily desired, and the lot owned by the Evans estate is being sought under a lease covering one-year periods.

The plan is to place two rows of hitching racks around three sides of the lot, leaving the Prospect street side open. The arrangement of the racks will be such that teams may be hitched from both sides of the rails, and in this manner about 150 rigs can be accommodated.

The center of the lot having the Prospect street entrance is to be reserved by the owners of the lot, that it may be leased for show purposes or the erection of tents for public gatherings of any sort.

If the lot is leased the committee will go before the city council with a request that the lot be kept clean at the expense of the city, and that the city provide police protection for the vehicles left there.

The cost of the lease and the erection of the hitching racks will fall upon the merchants of the city, and the money will be raised by subscription.

FEAR STORM HAS HIT THE CAYMAN ISLANDS

Severe Loss of Life and Property in Caribbean Sea Possible.

Mobile, Ala., Dec. 5.—Lack of news from the Cayman islands, in the Caribbean sea, is causing fears in shipping circles that the hurricane which swept over western Jamaica ten days ago struck the Cayman group.

Three principal islands of the group lay directly in the path of the tornado, and there is apprehension that severe loss of life may have resulted.

The Honduran schooner, Cartagena, which sailed from Cardenas, Cuba, for Mobile two weeks ago, has gone down with the loss of the fifteen persons on board.

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HEADLESS CAT MARKS SURGERY'S BIG STRIDE

Present-Day Accomplishments Are Most Wonderful.

KIDNEYS TRANSFERRED FROM BODY TO BODY

Parts of Eyes Taken from the Dead To Give the Power of Sight to the Living Who Are in Darkness. Marionite on Marvels of Surgery.

Editor Star —A few days ago, the daily papers announced that Dr. Alexis Carrel had been awarded the Nobel prize in surgery for keeping a headless cat alive three days, and ever since people have wondered why any man should be given $40,000 for doing a stunt like that. As one editorial remarked, an ordinary cat is enough trouble about the house, why should anyone desire to have a headless one.

The facts are that the headless cat is but an illustration of the advances that modern surgery is making. Taken as an entity, it means nothing but a trick in physiology—wonderful, but useless When viewed in its proper relations, though, it becomes of the greatest importance, a fact to be recorded in history; a point to and from which human health will always be dated as it is now dates from Galen's dissections, Harvey's study of the circulation and Morton's discovery of Anaesthesia.

Born from necessity, nutured by need, swaddled by doubt, and tutored by experiment, surgery is at last maturing into a scientific art whose results are scarcely dreamed of When Morton gave us ether, he robbed the operating table of its pain; when Lister taught us antisepsis, he lifted forever the pall from the convalescent bed, and, now when Carrel shows us the transplantation of tissues, he realizes the dream of century

Since Hippocrates wrote his immortal sentence—"the chief aim of surgery is to do no harm"—every man who has wielded a scalpel has thought of the time when diseased organs would not only be removed, but replaced with good ones But the obstacles have always been too great; the success too small Bit by bit, though, careful experimenters have added their portion to the vast pyramid, which is now nearing completion, helping thereby to raise its peak ever higher and to lessen the mystery enshrouding its base. To each and every one of the students, who have applied themselves to this task, certain definite questions have presented and demanded an answer

One of the first was the question of life and death. When was a tissue dead? Legally and commonly, a body is dead when the beat of the heart stops. Physiologically, though, this does not constitute death. The tiny cells of which the body is made are nearly all as much alive after the heart throb ceases as they were before, and are capable for some time of undergoing their normal functions We have all heard of the growth of the hair upon bodies that have been dead for some time Now what the hair does, nearly every other part of the body does also

In cold-blooded animals, the phenomenon is more pronounced than in warm. In fact, for many years, the various parts of frogs and fishes have been made to functionate properly long after all heart action had ceased

Jacques Loeb nearly fifteen years ago caused a strip from the heart of a turtle to beat rythmically for weeks after the remainder of the animal was dead and decaying Claude Bernard in his wonderful transplantation experiments showed that five legs could be made to grow where only four grew before, but his work seemed only of a spectacular variety, bound to be interesting but impracticable

Science, though, adults of no obstacles, and so patiently the quest went on Having once established the fact that all cells do not die, when the common condition known as death supervenes, the next question was to determine when, under ordinary conditions, do the tissues lie That question is not fully answered for all parts of the body even now.

New tissue, for instance, seems to die first and other tissues at longer or shorter periods How then can these tissues be preserved so that they can be kept for definite lengths of time? And how can they be used to your and my advantage?

To answer these questions, men have sacrificed their comfort, given their fortunes and lost their lives Throughout the years of gross misrepresentation, dishonest criticism and thankless service, surgery has forged toward its goal of tissue transplantation and organ replacement, ever striving to answer these questions, which so long have puzzled the investigator. Never daunted never doubtful of ultimate success the bits of knowledge wrung by one experimenter after another, from the unknown, have been added to what has gone before to make a starting place for newer investigators, until now the headless cat, meaningless to many, stands as the proof that a new and long-hoped-for era in surgery is at last dawning.

When Carrel came to his work, human tissues had been preserved for many days, both by solutions and by low temperatures. Knowing this, he immediately proceeded to solve the greater problem, the transplantation of tissues.

We have all seen the gardener remove a branch from a tree and affix it to another. In fact, grafting in trees is so common that no one remarks at it any longer. But none had ever seen the kidneys from a cat placed in a dog, and the kidneys from a dog placed in a cat; nor a leg grafted onto a useless stump, but this is precisely what Carrel has done. Not only once, but several times. To be sure, there is no man living who has had a good leg grafted on where only a stump has been before, but the future will soon bring that about.

Already just as remarkable, but less spectacular, things have been accomplished. If you will visit any blind asylum you will see about forty children out of every 100 who are blind, because when they were born, a certain form of bacteria got in their eyes. Now these children have just as good eyes as you, who are reading this article, and I, who am writing it, excepting that the cornea, the outer and front layer of the eye, was so injured by the bacteria that no light can get through it. If the cornea were taken off and a new one fixed in its place, these blind children would be like you and I, seeing and enjoying the beauties about us.

This fact has been common knowledge to the doctor and surgeon for a long time, but he has had to let it go unattended, for no one was willing to give up their cornea and become blind to save some one else's sight.

Now conditions are reversed. In those hospitals where the experimental work in cornea transplantation has been done, a new course is pursued. As soon as a baby is born into the world, either dead or dies soon after it is born, the corneas are quickly removed, and properly preserved. Then, at his leisure, the surgeon removes the cornea from the blind, but living child, and replaces it with one of his preserved corneas In the few cases where this has been done, the results have been marvelous, and with improved technique, over one-half and probably all of the normal vision can be obtained

And this is only one of the applications of the new surgery. Daily others are appearing. Earnest men with honest purposes are engaging themselves in the work. No one dare dream what the next few years will witness.

"New Kidneys for Old."
"Whole Bones for Broken Ones."

Such may be the signs of the future.

The headless cat, disgusting to think about; horrifying to behold, is in reality not an object of terror, but an example of the successful preservation of warm-blooded tissue such as you and I are made of, and of what man has done and what man may do. C. W. S.

THE MEEKER W. C. T. U. HOLDS FINE MEETING

Mrs. Howard Virden Is Hostess to the Members.

Meeker, O., Dec. 6—[Special]—A very interesting meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held, Friday evening, at the home of Mrs. Howard Virden

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McElvey were Marion visitors, Saturday.

Mrs Etta Burns, of Ada, has been the guest of Mrs Allen Day a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. McCreery were guests of friends east of Meeker, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs E E. Thomas and children spent a few days this week at West Mansfield.

Virgil Morgan returned, Monday, to his home in Anderson, Indiana, after spending a week with his sister, Mrs Laura Hoffman.

Andrey Anthony was ill this week.

Charles McElvey was a business visitor at Marion, Tuesday.

Miss Myrtle Alexander returned home, after a few weeks' visit with friends at Marion.

Mrs. Isaac Heller, of Brush Ridge, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Webb, Sunday

Mr and Mrs William Wylie, of Morral, visited their son, Ernest Wylie, and family, of this place, Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. C S Burnsides and children, and Mr. and Mrs. G H. Davis dined, Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Virden.

Miss Flora McCleery, of near Upper Sandusky, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Pfeiffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Davis, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. John Webb.

J. H. Dundore, of Marion, was a business visitor here the first of the week.

De Willis Davis was a La Rue visitor Tuesday.

W. M. Rhoads was a business visitor in Marion, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs James McIntire spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Asa McIntire, of near Marseilles

E E Mason has returned to Marion after spending a few days with Meeker friends.

Mrs. Laura Hoffman was a business visitor in Marion, Wednesday.

WILL GET DAMAGES FROM THE BIG FOUR

Dayton Youth To Be Paid $12,000 in Settlement of Claim.

Dayton, O., Dec 5.—According to the terms of a final entry in the probate court, Wayne Barrigu, aged nine, who lost an arm and whose parents were killed in a Big Four Railroad wreck at Middletown four years ago, will secure from the railroad company $12,000 in settlement of the claim In damage suits previously tried the boy was allowed $10,000 on his father's life and $8,000 on his mother's life.

No, Cordelia, it isn't the law of gravitation that causes one woman to run another down.

TWO YOUTHS ARE GIVEN SENTENCE BY COURT

Each Must Remain at Lancaster Five Years.

TAKEN TO INSTITUTION BY PROBATION OFFICER

Ray Jones and Otto Knight Are Before Juvenile Judge W. S. Spencer. Jones Is Insolent and Promises To Make a Dash for Liberty—Relatives Attend the Hearing.

Ray Jones and Otto Knight, the youthful desperadoes arrested in Mansfield for breaking into a hardware store there, after having burglarized the Nardini confectionery store on Silver street here and stealing a horse and buggy belonging to George Hoch, of Prospect, were both sentenced to five years in the boys' industrial school at Lancaster by Judge W S Spencer, Thursday. They were taken to the institution by Chief Probation Officer S. N. Titus, Thursday morning

When Judge Spencer was passing sentence on the boys, who have been up before him several times, Officer Titus saw the Jones lad slip a note to an older brother. The note was read by the court It was scribbled on a piece of paper and was evidently written at the jail, Wednesday night or Thursday morning

"Dear Mamma," it read, "I ain't afraid to go to Lancaster, but they will be disappointed If they don't keep the guns on me all the time. While we are going up there I would rather go up there in my old clothes because they will take my clothes when I get up there"

The note was closed with this sentence.

"When they take me to the courthouse, don't tell them to watch me, because I will run, if they shoot me"

A married sister of Jones was in the court-room and cried piteously. "My father run off and left my mother when we were all little, and I have had about all the raising of Ray," she cried "Ray, why did you write that note"

"Because I meant just what I said," replied the fifteen-year-old lad insolently.

"These boys are desperate characters," commented Judge Spencer as he passed sentence upon them.

The Knight boy, who is one year older than the Jones lad, was blamed by the latter's sister and brother for their brother's downfall

Later the Jones boy broke down and cried and asked that his baby brother "Buster" be brought to see him at the jail His mother's present name is Palmer and she lives in the Olean flats Young Knight lives in West Marion

THE SECOND NUMBER OF LECTURE COURSE

James G. Whiting Will Speak at Waldo.

Waldo, O, Dec 6—[Special.]—The second number of the Citizens' Lecture course will be given Monday evening, December 9, and will consist of a lecture by James G. Whiting

Mrs. Katherine Selanders entertained the Ladies' Aid society of the Reformed church Wednesday afternoon, at her home A number of guests were present

Miss Magdalene and Mildred Stark returned, Wednesday, from a couple of weeks' visit with friends at St. Mary's

Frank Groll, who has been in Connecticut the past three months, returned home Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs Amos Augenstine and son, of Marion, visited at the Mack Smith home, from Thursday until Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Howard Porterfield, of Marion, were guests of Mr. and Mrs Newton Porterfield, the past week

Mr. and Mrs Joshua Corbin and children, of near Agosta, and James Sibole of Urbana, were guests, Sunday of Mr. and Mrs William Corbin and family.

Fred Smith, of Delaware, visited his parents. Thursday

Mr and Mrs Elmer Selanders and children, of Radnor, returned home, Sunday after several days' visit with Waldo friends

Mr. and Mrs Thomas Wyatt and Miss Jessie Wyatt were guests, the past week, of Delaware friends

Mr. and Mrs Porter Thompson and daughter, Bernice, of Columbus, were guests, Sunday, at the D. W. Benedict home.

Miss Grace Luellen visited at Marion, Saturday.

Mrs Ellen Miller, who has been seriously ill, is improving.

Mrs. Nellie Gompf, who has been ill the past week, is better.

Mrs Roscoe Oborn and daughter, Dorothy, of Marion, returned home, Sunday, after a visit at the George Smith home.

Mrs Sarah Michel returned to Marion, Tuesday, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs W. C. Michel and other friends here

Mr and Mrs William Micheal, of Sycamore, were guests, the past week, of relatives and friends at Waldo and vicinity

Mrs Martin Lewis and children, of Marion, were guests, Sunday, of Mr. and Mrs Frederick Augenstine

Miss Ethel Hoke and Miss Helen Augenstine were visitors at Marion, Friday.

Mr and Mrs W O. Thompson and son, Wayne, of Ostrander, were guests the past week of Mr. and Mrs S Said

Mrs. Clarence Conklin and children visited at Marion, Saturday.

James Corbin is spending the week in Columbus.

Lowell Gompf, of Marion, was the guest of his parents, Sunday.

Mrs M. L. McCausland, of Prospect; Mrs. O. J. Elliott and Mrs. Harry Elliott and son, Robert Shannon, of Marion, were guests, Tuesday, of Mrs. William Gabler, the occasion being a surprise in honor of Mrs. Gabler's birthday.

Mrs. D. W. Benedict is at Delaware today a guest of the Ashley-Delaware club, at the home of Mrs. Lester Shoemaker.

PARTY ENTERTAINED AT BURLEY HOME

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Burley Host and Hostess.

Agosta, O., Dec. 5 [Special]—Mr and Mrs. J. J. Beverly entertained, Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. William Burley and son, Ronald, and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Berger and daughter, Grace, of Marion; Mr. and Mrs. E R. Prettyman, of La Rue, and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Strawser, of this place.

J. M. Stockwell, of Ashland, spent Monday with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Stockwell.

Mrs. Celia Prettyman is the guest of Lima relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Tron spent Thursday at the home of Walter Martin, of Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D Horton entertained, Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Arlond Coons and children, Helen and Herbert, of Byhalia; Mr. and Mrs. Don Clements and son, Irvin, of La Rue; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Horton and children, Gladys and Ralph, of Essex; Mr and Mrs G. C Benson, of Zanesfield; Mr. and Mrs. G. C Young and daughter, Mae and Misses Vena Johnston and Edna Dutton, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carey and children, Kathleen and Ellsworth, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs Orren Deihl, of Marion

Mrs Jane Manley, of near Green Camp, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W E. Cleveland.

Miss Margaret Dunlap, of Marion, was the guest of Dr. and Mrs E. Culbertson, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams were the guests, Sunday, of Mr. and Mrs. William Schultz, of Marion.

Mr and Mrs C B. Hudson, of Marion, spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs. A. C. Johnston.

Mrs J D. Hosler and daughter, Hazel, were Marion visitors, Friday

Mrs. G. W. Dutton, of Marion, spent Monday with Mrs. Aley Baker

Mrs. Elizabeth McCreary, of La Rue, was the guest of Mrs Arthur Tonguet, Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs Fred Hill entertained at dinner, Sunday, Mr and Mrs. Edward Kraner, and Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and children, Jessie, Ruth and Ralph, of south of town.

Mrs. M J. Redding returned home, Monday, after a two-weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs H. A. Whipps, of New Concord.

L. F. Mason, of Marion, spent the week-end with friends here.

Miss Edna Dutton was the guest of her sister, Nina, of Marion, from Thursday until Saturday

Miss Lenna Colter, of Columbus, is a guest at the David Bilger home

Mr and Mrs John Schlecht, of north of town, are at Westfield, Pennsylvania, to visit their son.

Mr. and Mrs Orren Deihl and daughter, Valeria, of Marion, are visiting relatives here.

Mr and Mrs Bert De Haven, of near Mt Gilead, were the guests of Mr and Mrs. Lemual De Haven, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs Clifford Schultz, Mrs E L. Schultz and Mrs R E. Prettyman were Marion callers, Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs H. W. Tobin spent Saturday evening at Marion.

MAJOR F. D. HENDERSON WEDS MARYSVILLE GIRL

Young People Take a Wedding Journey to Bermuda.

Reference is made to the marriage of Major Frank D. Henderson, who has many friends here, by the Marysville Tribune as follows.

The wedding of Miss Josephine Wilkins to Major Frank D. Henderson took place at the residence of the bride, No. 221 west Fourth street, Wednesday evening, at 6 o'clock. It was a quiet home affair on account of the illness of Miss Wilkin's brother, Court Wilkins. Only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties were present. The ceremony was performed by Rev. William A. Atkinson.

The bride is a daughter of Mrs Minnie O. Wilkins and is one of Marysville's most charming young ladies. She is a graduate of Marysville High school, class of '06.

Major Henderson is a son of the late William Henderson, of Millcreek township, and is at present engaged in managing the Henderson farms, near Watkins. He is a major in the Fourth Regiment O. N. G., and has been prominent in military affairs in Ohio.

Following the marriage ceremony Major and Mrs. Henderson left for New York, from which point they will sail Saturday for the Bermuda islands On their return they will make their home in Millcreek township

Stains caused by heated dishes on trays or tables, can be removed by a thin paste made of salad oil and salt. Spread it over the marked place and leave it for an hour or more, then rub it off with a soft cloth

KOSCIUSKO LODGE OF ODD FELLOWS MEETS

An Annual Election of Officers Held During Evening.

BERT CAMPBELL IS NEW NOBLE GRAND

The Degree of Pocahontas Holds an Election of Officers—A Social and Dance Follows the Business Session—Marion Temple of Pythian Sisters Meets.

Kosciusko Lodge, No. 58, I. O. O. F., held its annual election and voted on a representative to the Grand lodge session in Dayton, next June, at a regular meeting, Monday night. The officers elected are:

Bert B. Campbell, noble grand; C. C. Smith, vice grand; L. F. Bailer, corresponding secretary; L. F. Bailer, financial secretary; John E Davis, treasurer; John S. Kilbury, trustee; W. C. Luellen, Edward Throckmorton, C. L. Doll and John S. Kilbury, captains of the initiatory first, second and third degrees, respectively; John Evans, musician; John E. Davis, lodge deputy; H. B. Sims, janitor.

The appointive officers will be named when the officers are installed the first meeting night in January.

John S Kilbury, the lodge's candidate for Grand lodge representative, received a very large vote, but the result will not be announced until the votes of the eleven lodges in the district are received and tabulated.

Monday night's meeting was unusually well attended, an entertaining feature being the exhibition of a series of beautiful pictures. The lodge's new machine was operated by C. L. Doll.

Following the meeting a luncheon and smoker were enjoyed. The next meeting will be held in one week.

Degree of Pocahontas.

A largely-attended meeting of the Degree of Pocahontas was held, Monday evening, and aside from considerable routine business the officers for the next six months were elected as follows:

Mrs Grace Anderson, Pocahontas; Mrs. Vina Creasap, prophetess; Mrs. Frederica Preuninger, Winona; Mr. Clyde Caldwell, Powhatan; Mrs Frances McClain, keeper of records; Mr. John Byers, assistant keeper of records and captain of the degree staff.

Mrs. Carl Koenig and Mrs. Emma Moore were awarded prizes by the lodge for having filled their chairs without being absent during the past six months. After the meeting, a social and dance was enjoyed. Arrangements were made for a dance to be held December 16 The report of the district school was also read at the meeting.

The officers will be installed at the next meeting in two weeks.

Pythian Sisters.

Marion Temple, No. 381, Pythian Sisters, held a well-attended special session, Monday evening, owing to the hall being engaged Tuesday. Aside from the routine business the degree was conferred on one candidate and three applications were balloted on The next meeting will be held the third Tuesday in December.

Six Candidates.

Six candidates were initiated and twelve applications were balloted on at a meeting of the Loyal Order of Moose, Monday evening. Arrangements were made to initiate a class next Monday evening, at which time a stag social will be held.

Owls Hold Meeting.

The Order of Owls held a regular meeting, Monday evening, with a large attendance. Aside from the routine business, the officers for the coming year were elected as follows:

T. J. Foos, past president; E. F. Mayfield, president; T. W. Bumgartner, vice president; P. D. Brady, invocator; J. H. Carbaugh, treasurer; J. A Welsh, secretary; T. L. Sharp, warden; S. T Hartley, sentinel; Bernard Prior, picket; E. L. Brady, nest physician, William Tracy, official printer, W. H. Worline, M. A. Griffis and Carl Schwagler were elected trustees for one year.

The officers will be installed at the first meeting in January. The next meeting will be held in one week.

Canton Marion, No. 66, Patriarchs Militant, I. O. O. F., held its annual inspection and election at a regular meeting, Wednesday night.

The meeting was unusually well attended. Following the casting of the Canton's entire vote for field officer, Colonel William Eccles, of Kenton, for reelection as colonel of the Second regiment, the following local officers were elected:

John E. Davis, captain; David Haberman, lieutenant; W. J. Ewers, ensign; James Wark, clerk; John M. Brigel, accountant.

The appointive officers will be announced when the officers are installed the first meeting in January.

The inspection was conducted by Captain M. H. Furney, of Kenton.

The canton will meet again in two weeks.

The Eagles Meet.

The Fraternal Order of Eagles held a largely-attended meeting, Wednesday evening, and elected officers for the coming year as follows:

M. D. Lehman, president; P. H. Neidig, vice president; J. A. Abel, secretary; E. Katz, treasurer; Roy Abel chaplain; B. C. Harruff, inside guard; George Price, outside guard; Dr. E. L. Brady, physician; Ernest Roecker, trustee for three years, and Charles Bausinger, trustee for one year term.

Two candidates were initiated at the meeting, four applications balloted on and five applications received. Arrangements were made for a dance to be held in the lodge hall tonight. F. H. Ritzhaupt, M. D. Lehman and J. A. Abel were appointed members of the committee to audit the books for the last quarter. Following the meeting a smoker and social session was enjoyed.

The officers will be installed at the first meeting in January and the next regular meeting will be held in one week, at which time the degree will be conferred.

SEINERS AND HUNTERS TO BE WATCHED CLOSELY

Game Warden Neimeyer Is Afield at Present.

The hunting season closed Wednesday, and hereafter shooting quail or rabbit will be punishable by a fine. Game Warden C Neimeyer of Prospect, who has brought about many convictions in this part of the state this year, announces that any violation of the game laws will be vigorously prosecuted.

The game warden is making a hard fight to eliminate all seining in Marion and Delaware county streams. He has caught a number of violators and has confiscated their seines. Mr Neimeyer states that there are other violators who are illegally taking the fish out of the streams. In this fight to apprehend them he is receiving the support of most of the sportsmen of the county, many of whom have furnished information that has been of assistance in runing down the game law violators

GLATHART ESTATE APPRAISERS NAMED

Action Taken in the Probate Court, Thursday Morning.

John H. Harrison, administrator of the estate of Simeon R. Glathart, who is alleged to have been murdered by William DeHaven, August 31, has been authorized to appraise the decedent's property. Thursday morning, Probate Judge William S. Spencer named S. J. Hipsher, S. E. Irey and Fred Busch as apraisers.

According to a statment of Glathart's debt's filed in the probate court, he owed Chris Glathart the sum of $162, the Caledonia Deposit bank, $1,100; Sherman Lance, $150, and othe rindividuals, $150.

The deceased owned about thirty-four acres in Claridon township.

A bright, strong plum color is one of the favorite shades for the coming season.

WHAT IT COST TO ELECT PRESIDENT

National Democratic Committe Spends $1,159,446.

Washington, Dec. 5. — It cost the Democratic national committee $1,159,446 to carry the election for Wilson and Marshall, according to its final statement of contributions and expenses filed with the house. Charles R. Crane of Chicago was the heaviest contributor, with $40,000, closely pressed by Cleveland H. Dodge of New York, $33,000, and Herman Riddle of New York, as treasurer of funds collected for the committee. $30,073 William J Bryan contributed $1,000 to the campaign fund There were many who contributed $5 000 or more

CHAMP CLARK DENIES THAT HE WAS DRUNK

Says Educator's Statement Is Lie and Demands Retraction.

Chambersburg, Pa., Dec 5—Speaker Champ Clark declares he never took a drink at Ann Arbor, Mich., in his life; has not tasted intoxicating liquor in any form since July 5 1904, and if F A Barbour, professor of English at the Ypsilanti (Mich.) Normal school, who made the statement in a public address here during the teachers' institute, that the Missourian was so badly intoxicated at Ann Arbor that his fraternity brethren were compelled to take him to their chapter house until he became sober, doesn't retract the statement, which Mr. Clark says is a lie, Barbour will have to take the consequences

NEGOTIATIONS DISCONTINUED

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and the Balkan allies will begin here Friday, December 13, and last at least a month.

Preparations were begun by the British government today for the peace meeting, which will be held in a building designated by the foreign office, after consultations are held with the envoys of the interested powers.

Dr. S. Daneff, speaker of the Bulgarian chamber of deputies, will probably preside The chief representatives of Turkey and Servia will be Osman Nazimi Pacha, Turkish ambassador to Germany, and Stowan Nakovitch, ex-premier of Servia. Montenegro has not yet appointed her peace plenipotentiaries

THE MARKETS.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

Union Stock Yards, Ills., Dec. 5—Hogs—Receipts, 23,000; market, steady; mixed and butchers, 7.15@7.70; good heavy, 7.60@7.70; hough heavy, 7.10@7.50; light, 7.10@7.60; pigs, 5.50@7.25; bulk, 7.50@7.65.

Cattle—Receipts, 7,500; market, steady; beeves, 6.40@11.10; cows and heifers, 2.75@8.40; stockers and feeders, 4.75@7.75; Texans, 6.40@9.80; calves, 8@10.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 22,000; market, steady; native and western, 2.50@4.35; lambs, 4.60@7.60.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 5—Cattle—Market, steady; prime steers, 9@9.40; butchers grades, 3.50@8.25

Calves—Receipts, 50; market, 50c higher; cull to choice, 7@12.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4,000; market, firm; choice lambs, 7.75@7.90; cull to fair, 5@7.50; yearlings, 4.50@5.75; sheep, 2@4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,250; market, steady; yorkers, 7.60@7.65; pigs, 7@7.25; mixed, 7.65@7.70; heavy, 7.70@7.80; roughs, 6.50@6.90; stags, 6@6.50.

CLEVELAND.

Cleveland, Dec. 5—Hogs—Receipts, 39 cars; market, strong; mediums, heavies and yorkers, 7.30@7.65; pigs, 7.30.

Cattle—Receipts, light; market, steady; top, 8.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,700; market, active; top lambs, 7.55.

Calves—Receipts, 150; top, 11.25.

PITTSBURGH.

Pittsburgh, Dec. 5—Cattle—Receipts, light; market, steady; choice, 9.25@9 50; prime, 8.50@9 10; good 7 75@8.40; tidy butchers, 6.75@7.50; fair, 5.50@6.50; common, 4@6 50; common to good fat bulls, 4@6.50; common to good fat cows, 3@6.25; heifers, 4@7.50; fresh cows and springers, $25@65; veal calves, 10@10 75; heavy and thin calves, 6@7 50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, fair; market, steady; prime wethers, 4.25@4.50; good mixed, 3.85@4.15; fair mixed, 3.25@3.35; cull to fair, 2@2.50; lambs, 5@7.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 20 doubledecks; market, slow; prime heavy, 7.70@7.75; heavy mixed, 7.65@7.70; mediums, 7.65@7.70; heavy yorkers, 7.65@7.70; light yorkers, 7.50@7.60; pigs, 7@7.25; roughs, 6.75@7; stags, 6@6.25.

TOLEDO.

Toledo, Dec. 5—Wheat—Cash and December, 1.06; May, 1.10⅞.

Corn—Cash, 50¼; December, 50⅛; May, 50½.

Oats—Cash and December, 35½; May, 35⅝.

Cleverseed—Cash, 11.15; March 11.20.

Alsike—12.85.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Dec. 5—Hot winds in southern Argentine caused advance of ¾@¾d in Liverpool this morning and with an improved demand for cargoes and the fact that winter has set in in earnest in our own Northwest were the bullish helps in wheat early in the day. Offerings in the pit were smaller and the demand was more liberal. Northwestern and Winnipeg receipts are considerably in excess of a year ago Chicago receipts were small.

Corn was ⅛@¼c higher on the promise of unfavorable weather throughout the belt and the buying by shorts

Oats were ⅛@¼c better on short covering.

The provision market was easier at the opening in the face of stronger hog market at the yards

Opening: Wheat—May, 91 to 9¾; July, 88; December, 84¾ to 8⅞.

Corn—May, 48⅞ to 48⅜; July 49⅝ to 49¾; December, 49½ to

Oats—May, 33 to 32⅞; December 31⅞ to 31¾

Pork—January, 19.27.

Lard—May, 10.15; January, 10.10 to 10 52.

Ribs—May, 9.92.

The following are the closing prices:

Chicago, Dec. 5—Close: Wheat December, 84⅝@¾; May, 90¾@⅞; July, 87⅞.

Corn—December, 49⅜; May, 48@¾; July, 49½.

Oats—December, 32¼@⅜; May 33¼; July, 33⅛.

Pork—January, 19.42; May, 19.75.

Lard—January, 10.60; May, 10.20.

Ribs—January, 10 27; May, 9

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Dec. 5—Flour, steady; spring patents, 4 60@4.90; straights, 4 50@4 60; clears, 4.30@4 40; winter patents, 5 20@5.40; straights, 4 65@4.80; clears, 4.30@4.40

Hay, firm; good to prime, 90@15; poor to fair, 85.

Straw, steady; long rye, 85@87

Pork, steady; mess, 19.25@19 family, 23@24.

Lard, steady; city steam, 11@

Wool, firm; domestic fleece, 2 32; do pulled basis, 42@60; Texas scoured basis, 45@62.

Dressed poultry, steady; turkeys 13@24; chickens, 11@27; fowls @16½; ducks, 8@18; geese, 8@

Live poultry, quiet; chickens, 14; fowls. 13@14; turkeys. roosters, 10½; ducks, 14@ geese, 13@14

Butter, firm; creamery firsts 3@34; creamery extras, 32@ state dairy tubs, 24@35.

Eggs, firm; nearby white fancy 50@55; nearby brown fancy, 42; extra firsts, 39@42; firsts, 34.

Milk—Wholesale price per q delievered in New York. 4¼@

CHICAGO DAIRY.

Chicago, Dec. 5—Butter—Creamery, 36@37; extra firsts, 34; 31@32; seconds, 28@29; dairies extra, 31; firsts, 28; seconds, 26; ladles, 25; packing stock, 23@2

Eggs—Miscellaneous lots, included, 22@25; cases returned 24@26; ordinary firsts, 24; must be 70 per cent. fresh, 28@ No. 1 dirties, 19½; checks, 16

Live poultry—Turkeys, 15; chickens, fowls, 11½; old roosters, springs, 12½; ducks, 13; geese

Iced poultry—Turkeys, 16@ chickens, fowls, 12; roosters, 10½; springs, 12½@14; geese, 7 for poor; ducks, 10@14 for to good.

LOCAL GRAIN.

The Marion National mill quotes Old wheat, 98; new wheat, 90; 40; oats, 28; rye, 60; timothy 1 25

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LEGLEITNER IS PUT ON STAND

Testifies in Own Defense in the Dynamite Trial.

ADMITTED M'NAMARA WANTED CLIPPINGS

Says He Didn't Know What Kind He Desired.

Defendant P. A. Cooley Being Ill, Legleitner Is Called—P. J. Cook Says He Saw Legleitner Carrying Explosive-Carrying Case in December, 1910—Latter Identifies Certain Accounts of the Union.

Indianapolis, Dec. 5.—Owing to the illness of Defendant Philip A. Cooley, of New Orleans, ironworkers' international executive board member, Defendant Henry W. Legleitner, of Pittsburgh, Denver and Indianapolis, took the stand in his own defense in the dynamite conspiracy case this morning.

Legleitner was formerly an executive board member. He recited his early trials and his struggle for an education. Legleitner is charged with being a member of the dynamite conspiracy by virtue of being a member of the international executive board. It is also charged that he carried the carrying case, used by McNamara for explosives from Denver to Indianapolis, in December, 1910.

Legleitner denied that he received any money from the union, except his salary and expenses.

Legleitner explained the statement, in his October, 1907, letter to J. J. McNamara, concerning the Steubenville, Ohio, explosion that "there have been some awful disastrous explosions on the Steubenville job and a man can't get within 100 feet of it, it is so closely guarded."

Legleitner said he heard of this condition and sent it, as a matter of information, to McNamara. He said he did not know who did the explosion. McManigal has confessed to dynamiting this work.

Saw Legleitner Carrying Case.

P J Cook, former bookkeeper for the ironworkers, testified for the government, that he saw Legleitner come to headquarters in December, 1910, carrying the fibroid explosive-carrying case. The government also introduced a telegram from McNamara to Legleitner, telling him to "come on to headquarters" about that time.

Legleitner admitted receiving the message, but denied that he ever saw the carrying case, or that he was at headquarters in December, 1910 He said, the foreman on his work would not let him off to go to headquarters.

On cross-examination, Legleitner admitted that McNamara wrote, asking him for newspaper clippings, but said he did not know what kind of clippings McNamara meant and told him so.

"Didn't McNamara write you to send him a clipping of the McKees Rocks, Pennsylvania, explosion?" asked Miller.

"He wrote me for clippings, but I didn't know what kind of clippings he wanted," said Legleitner.

Legleitner identified certain accounts of the union that he signed as auditing committeeman, but when Miller showed him an item of $500 to McNamara for "organizing," he reconsidered his identification and said he was not sure. He had previously denied knowing that the union gave McNamara money for organizing purposes.

WILL GIVE CONCERT AT EPWORTH CHURCH

A Fine Program Is Promised the Music Lovers.

"Hiawatha's Wedding Feast," the most popular of the three great choral works which Coleridge-Taylor composed from the poem of Longfellow, will be given at the Epwotrh M E. church, Monday evening, December 9, by the Marion Choral society. Passages expressing the spirit of the forest life and character of the Indians, and those relating to the more tender emotions of Haiwatha and Minehaha make a particularly enjoyable work.

The program will also be several choruses selected from modern and classic composers. Among these will be the great "Scene and Prayer from Cavalleria," for double chorus, and solo, a work that has scarcely been surpassed for fervor and grandeur.

Mrs. Jennie Thatcher-Beach, a leading church and concert soprano singer of Chicago, will be soloist of the occasion. She has but recently returned from a highly successful tour as soloist with a prominent symphony orchestra, and this will be a rare opportunity to hear a singer who is a real artist in her line.

GEORGE WILLIAMS IS DANGEROUSLY ILL

Suffers an Attack of Acute Indigestion in Sheriff's Office.

George Williams, residing near Green Camp, suffered an attack of acute indigestion when in the office of Sheriff John G. Stark, Thursday at 2 o'clock. Dr. Howard Mouser was called and he ordered Williams take nto a hospital. He was removed in the Hess & Markert ambulance to the Marion City hospital. His condition is critical, but it is believed that he will recover.

Williams had just returned from Chicago, where he and Frank E. Greely, of Green Camp, attended the big stock show.

STATE FIRE MARSHAL SENDS A WARNING

Cotton Can Not Be Used in Christmas Decorations.

Fire Chief McFarland received a letter from the state fire marshal, Wednesday, to the effect that no cotton would be permitted to be used in window or store decorations for the holiday season, nor would it be allowed on Christmas trees in the churches or other halls of entertainment.

Fire Chief McFarland intends carrying out the order, and at once notified Marx brothers to tear out the cotton used in displaying their holiday stock in the show window of their clothing store on south Main street. The chief stated, this morning, that the inspector intended visiting the city during the holiday season and that he intended seeing that the order was carried out to the letter.

Regarding other decorations Chief McFarland stated that only fireproof paper would be permitted to be used in the decorations on the interior of stores, and that this would not be permitted to be close to gas lights, entwined around steam pipes or electric wires. The order eliminates the use of cotton for decorations in any quanity or for any purpose.

JURIST'S FRIEND ON THE STAND

Says Judge Would Have Gained from Coal Deal.

E. J. WILLIAMS IS THE FIRST WITNESS

Interest Centers About First Article of Charges.

Alleged That Accused Man Exerted Influence Upon Officials of the Erie Railroad To Compel Them To Give an Option to Witness on Refuse Coal Heaps—Review of the Day's Proceedings.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Admissions that Judge Robert W. Archbald of the court of commerce had been interested with him in a deal for the Katydid culm dump, near Scranton, and would have profited from the sale of the property, were drawn from Edward J. Williams of Dunmore, Pa., before the senate court of impeachment, which is trying the jurist for alleged misconduct.

Mr. Williams was the first witness summoned. Standing at the elevated clerk's desk in the senate, and facing Judge Archbald, who had been his friend, he said, for 30 years, the aged Welshman became a silent witness for part of the time to the duel between house managers and Judge Archbald's lawyers, as to what evidence and what testimony should be admitted before the court.

Alleged Influence on the Erie.

Chief interest centered about the first article of the charges, which alleged that Judge Archbald had exerted influence upon officers of the Erie railroad, which then had a lighterage case pending in his court, to compel them to give an option to Williams upon its portion of the Katydid refuse coal heaps, owned through its subsidiary company, the Hillside Coal and Iron company.

Mr. Williams declared Judge Archbald had nothing to do with getting the option, further than to act as his friend and recommend him to the officers of the Hillside company. Later, however, under the questions of Representative Webb of North Carolina, he said Judge Archbald would have received half of the profits realized from the sale of the property.

"What did Judge Archbald do for which he was to receive one-half of the profits from the coal dump?" demanded Representative Webb.

"It was none of anybody's business if I wished to give it to him," retorted Williams.

To this he later added that the interest of Judge Archbald resulted from "what he did for me," and that "it was partly through his influence that I got the options."

Judge Archbald's attorney fought vainly against the admission of a document purporting to assign part of Mr. Williams' interest in the coal dump to William P. Boland, and a "silent partner," supposed to be Judge Archbald.

W. E. MOORE DIES VERY UNEXPECTEDLY

Is a Charter Member of Local Body of Knights Templars.

Delaware, O., Dec. 5—[Special]—W. E. Moore, a charter member of Marion Commandery, No. 36, Knights Templars, died suddenly Wednesday night, aged seventy-eight years. He had been a Mason over fifty years and held every office in the gift of Delaware Blue lodge, consistory and commandery. In his active years he was cashier of the First National bank, and was a brother of the late Sidney Moore, of Delaware.

PROSPECT MISSION WORKERS HOLD MEETING

Pleasant Affair at Home of Mrs. J. N. Freeman.

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR ENSUING YEAR

M. E. Fleming Is Given a Surprise by Members of the Prospect Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star. Time Is Passed in a Pleasant Manner—Village Notes.

Prospect, O., Dec. 5.—[Special]—A very interesting meeting of the Women's Missionary society of the M. E. church was held at the home of Mrs. J. N. Freeman, of Water street, Tuesday afternoon. The program was interspersed with music, and was also a review of the year's work. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. David Bouros; first vice president, Mrs. B. F. Fox; second vice president, Mrs. J. B. Barker; secretary, Mrs. S. C. Treese; treasurer, Mrs. S. H. Swaney.

Mrs. R. P. Baker, of Lancaster, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Freeman, several days last week. Mrs. C. Hill accompanied her granddaughter home, Friday, for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collmer entertained the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Collmer and son, Harrold, of Columbus, Thursday.

Miss Adah Issler and brother, Fred, visited relatives in Toledo, from Friday to Sunday.

Robert Smith, who is engaged in teaching this year at Kansas, near Fostoria, visited from Wednesday to Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. George Strobel and Mrs. Elmer Griffith, of Lafayette, Indiana, are spending the week with the latter's parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Gast.

Miss Maud Kyle, employed as a trimmer the past season in Bellaire, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kyle, the past week.

Raymond Davis, of the Ohio State School for the Blind, was the guest of Virgil Johnson from Wednesday to Sunday.

Harry Gast, of Columbus, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M Gast, Thursday.

Mrs. Ray Thomas was taken to Mt. Carmel hospital, Saturday, where she passed through an operation for appendicitis.

R. T. Pace, of Cleveland, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Roberts, Sunday.

Isadore Jacobs, of Sharon, Pennsylvania, spent several days last week with old friends.

Mrs. Millie Adams and daughter, Mrs. Edward Barch, of Delaware, were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. B. M. Hord, Thursday.

Miss Anna Farnum, attending Wooster university, spent the Thanksgiving vacation with her mother, Mrs. Adelaide Farnum.

Mrs. R. H. Finefrock and daughter, Mary, visited from Friday to Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Rebecca Claflin, at Cardington.

Miss Clara Mohr, of Marion, was the guest of relatives here, Sunday.

Pearl Winston and Miss Anna Mandville, of Ostrander, were guests of their cousin, Miss May Roberts, several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pace and daughter, Elizabeth, of Toledo, visited from Wednesday to Sunday with Mrs. Pace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Harshbarger.

L. E. Cope, of Cleveland, spent Thursday with his mother, Mrs. Catharine Cope.

The pupils from the public school under the direction of L. L. Canfield, of Delaware, are rehearsing a cantata "The Happy Family of Father Time," to be given soon.

Nevin Schaaf, atteding the Central Theological seminary, of the Reformed church, in Dayton, spent several days this week with his sister, Mrs. Meta Gast.

Mrs.L. R. McNeill was a Columbus visitor, Monday.

Mrs. R. L Wilson, of Green Springs, and Mrs. Pauline Cellar, of Mon Clara, were guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. T. J. Cellar, several days last week.

Mrs. John Graham, of Radnor, was the guest of her saon, A. L. Graham, and wife, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cummings spent Monday and Tuesday with relatives at Republic.

A delightful birthday surprise was given M. E. Fleming, Tuesday, at his home on Elm street by the members of the local chapter of the Order of Eastern Star. About sixty came in to extend best wishes and also enjoy a splendid dinner served at the noon hour. Mr. Fleming and Mrs. T. J. Penny were each presented a Masonic souvenir spoon, their birthdays falling on the same date. Members from out of town were Isadore Jacobs, of Sharon, Pennsylvania; Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Lumger, Mr. and Mrs. William Finley, of Marion; Mrs. M. C. Miller, of Richwood; Dr. Mae Mills, of Delaware. Invited guests were Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Halliday, of Delaware; Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Freeman, Mrs. E. E. Wotring.

Hit by an Automobile.

E. E. Powers, advertising man for The Week, in Columbus, was run down by an automobile at the corner of High and Broad streets, in the Capital City, Wednesday, and suffered a sprained ankle, and a number of bad bruises. He was brought to his home in this city.

ADELPHAE KARITOS CLUB HOLDS SESSION

Mrs. Charles Harrison Is Hostess to Members.

THE TIME IS GIVEN TO PLEASING PROGRAM

Knights of Pythias Serve a Fine Rabbit and Chicken Supper—Miss Helen Kellogg Is Hostess to a Large Company of Friends—Caledonia Notes of the Week.

Caledonia, O., Dec. 6—[Special.]—The Adelphae Karitos club met with Mrs. Charles Harrison, Monday evening. A large membership was in attendance. The house was artistically decorated in the holiday splendors, streamers of red and green being lavishly used. During the business session, the first committee presented the treasurer with a certificate of deposit as the profit of the Mother Goose party. Mrs. Alice Irey contributed a reading and Mrs. Edgington contributed a vocal solo, "The Ninety and Nine." Mrs. Lillian Brownlee gave a characteristic dream of a doctor and responded to an encore. Miss Mabel Harrison rendered several beautiful piano solos. During a cake contest which followed the literary program, Mrs. C. G. Underwood and Mrs. H. M. Hart were the fortunate contestants and received Robespierre collars. Mrs. Edgington won a box of candy for guessing the nearest number of beans in a can. Arrangements were made for a shower for Mrs. Frank Warwick, who was married Thanksgiving day. Refreshments were served by the hostess during a social hour which followed. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. J. D. Harrison. The names of Mrs. S. F. Doyle and Mrs. Howard Neal were added to the roll. Mrs. H. M. Hart was the only visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Henson and daughter, Florence, and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Henson spent a few days of last week with friends in Fostoria.

The Knights of Pythias served a rabbit and chicken supper to their families and the Pythian sisters, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Mary Hart returned the first of the week from a five weeks' visit with relatives at Edison and Cardington.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Garberson entained Mrs. John Rolle and daughter, Evelyn and Loubie Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Simpson, of Waldo, and Mrs. Carrie Garberson, of Marion, the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Isabelle Underwood and daughter, Virginia, returned, Friday, from a visit with relatives at Cardington.

Mrs. John Howser has been quite ill for the past two weeks.

Rev. and Mrs. C. A. R. Edgington were the guests of relatives at Xenia and Martinsburg, last week.

Mrs. Margaret Crissinger and Miss Ilah Geyer, of Marion, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Geyer.

Harry Cooper was the guest of relatives at Bucyrus, Thursday.

W. E. Stewart and Miss Alma Keiter were entertained at the home of the latter's parents at New Winchester, last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs John Stafford and children, George and Mildred, and Mr. and Mrs. William Stafford and daughters, Isabelle and Gladys, of Marion, and Mr. and Mrs. John George spent, Thursday, with Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Stafford.

Master John A. Thomas, of Columbus, is the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Anderson, this week

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Baker and daughter, Mildred, went to Delaware, Sunday, to attend the Baker family reunion. The reunion was to have been held at Mt. Gilead but owing to the fact that a niece, Mrs. Huff, of Plain City, was a victim of the C., D. & M. interurban wreck at Delaware, and was unable to travel farther, the other relatives decided to meet her at Delaware.

Little Prince, the seven year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Cornell, is suffering from a severely burned face and hands, the result of an accident Thursday. He and Harold Seckel, about the same age, were playing in the council chamber, when they discovered the fire was very low. They undertook to hasten it with coal oil. The flames flashed out and ignited Prince's hair. He ran out on the square and plunged his head and hands in a water trough and then ran home. Dr. J. E. Baker rendered assistance. While the burns are not dangerous, they are very painful.

Little Blanche and Kathryn Highly, of Marion, were the guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. William Kellogg, east of town, several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Stanley and Mrs. Frank Stanley and daughter, Eleanor, of Marion, spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Winter, north of town.

Mrs. Fannie Hipsher is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Otis Brooks, near Kirkpatrick.

Rev. C. A. R. Edgington began a series of meetings at Canaan church, Sunday evening.

F. A. Roberts received his appointment as mail clerk on the Big Four road, Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Rebman, of Burbank, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Rinker, west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Husted, formerly of this place, but now of Richwood, called on old friends here last week.

Mrs. C. A. Highly and children, Goldeth and Herbert, visited from Thursday until Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Showers near Marion.

Miss Mary Carpenter, of Bellefontaine, was the guest of relatives here, Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cullison, Ernest Cullison and the Misses Emma Weiler and Mabel Cullison, of Galion, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Price, last week.

Mrs. Frank Weideman, of Marion, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Hinds, last Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Colliflower and daughter, Roberta, returned Friday from a visit with friends at Delaware.

Miss Millicent Fields left, Thursday, for Bellefontaine, where she will remain until after the holidays.

The King's Daughters met with Mrs. J. D. Harrison, Saturday evening, and discussed ways and means for raising money. Ten members were present and an enjoyable session was held.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hungate, of Marion, spent last Thursday with relatives here.

Mrs. John Crissinger, of Marion, spent Monday with Mrs. Martin Koch.

Mr. and Mrs. John George entertained Mr. and Mrs. George McCracken, of Centerburg, and Mr. and Mrs. William McCracken, of Fulton, at their home, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Harrison and children, Mabel and Wallace, enjoyed an automobile trip to Richwood, Sunday, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Koch.

Mr. and Mrs Charles Rinker and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ehlers dove to Bucyus, Sunday, where they spent the afternoon.

Mrs. John Hams and children, Garnet and Hoyt, of West Point, spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Albright.

Miss Helen Kellogg entertained about twenty-five friends at a party at her home, west of town, Friday evening. A season of games and contests was enjoyed by all. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. The guests were Misses Hilda Rice, Marvel Wilson, Eva Seckel, Lenna Thew, Mabel Harrison, Jennie Slagle, Trilba Coen, Luella Douce, Pearl Schlientz, Wealthy Brown, Adella Martin, Hoe Burt and Messrs Eugene Rogers, Carrol Irey, Lynn Underwood, Wayne Dilts, Lloyd Dilts, Lloyd Kinnamon, Raymond Pace, Rupert Koch, Milo Wier, Melvin Pommert and Sylvan Hipsher, of this place; Miss Mabel Fate, of Climax, and Miss Gladys Koch, of Richwood.

Frank Day and Miss Estella Freed, of Cleveland, were entertained at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Day, several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Selbert and daughter, Margaret, of Columbus, and Rev. and Mrs. K. P. Meister, of Delaware, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Kinnamon, several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Harrison entertained the following guests at their home last Thursday: Mrs. Nellie Irey and daughters, Josephine, Marie and Glenn, of Marion; Miss Gladys Koch, of Richwood; Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Irey and sons, Carrol, Curtis and Robert; Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Irey and sons, Harold, Paul and Edgar; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Harrison and children, Mabel and Wallace, and Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Underwood and children, Margaret and Howard.

Mrs. Ada Dase, of Marion, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Harriet Osborn, Wednesday.

One candidate was given the degree by the Masonic lodge, Monday evening. The members enjoyed an oyster supper at the close of the work.

Mrs. J. A. Jacoby, of Marion, spent Wednesday with her daughter, Mrs. H. G. Irey.

FOUND UNCONSCIOUS AFTER WILD JOY RIDE

Pennsylvania High School Girl Says She Disgraces Family.

Johnston, Pa., Dec. 5.—Dragged under the porch of her home, unconscious after a wild night of joy riding, Anna Edwards, aged fifteen, a high school girl, and daughter of former mercantile appraiser of this county, David T. Edwards, was found early today by her parents. She disappeared from home yesterday.

The girl is now under the care of of a physician and the police are looking for a chauffeur whose name the girl gave and who she claims represented himself as an actor.

Before disappearing, the girl pinned a note to the kitchen table, declaring she had disgraced the family and, as they would not love her any more, she was going away.

ARGUE THEIR CASES BEFORE HIGH COURT

Columbus, Dec. 5.—Attorneys for Senators L. R. Andrews and Isaac E. Huffman, who were convicted and sentenced to penitentiary terms for accepting bribes in the last assembly, today argued before the supreme court their motion for leave to file their petitions for review in that tribunal. If the supreme court refuses to review their cases, they must begin penitentiary terms at once.

Senator George K. Cetone, who was found guilty late yesterday of the same offense, waited today to learn the outcome of the cases of Huffman and Andrews, before appealing his case to the higher courts.

SENATOR CETONE IS FOUND GUILTY

Jury Quickly Returns Verdict in Bribrey Case.

DAYTON MAN IS FIFTH SOLON TO BE CONVICTED

Declares He Will Carry Case To Higher Courts.

Prosecution Charge Is That Cetone Accepted a Bribe from a Burns Detective To Get the Cetone-Whittemore Insurance Bill Out of Committee—Bribing Took Place in Columbus the Spring of 1911.

Columbus, O., Dec. 5.—State Senator George K. Cetone of Dayton was found guilty on a charge of accepting a $200 bribe from a Burns detective, posing as a lobbyist before the general assembly, in the spring of 1911.

He is the third senator to be convicted in the assembly bribery cases. Two representatives and the senate sergeant-at-arms have been convicted heretofore.

The proposal involved was the Cetone-Whittemore insurance measure, and the state charged that Cetone took the bribe to get the bill out of committee. As in other legislative corruption cases, the state successfully introduced dictagraph testimony.

Without the least sign of agitation the Dayton solon, who is said to be worth $100,000, heard the verdict which means that he will have to go to the penitentiary unless a higher court reverses the decision or unless the trial court metes out punishment of a fine only. The maximum penitentiary sentence confronting Cetone is five years. His wife and little son were in the courtroom when the verdict was read.

The jury reached a verdict after only one hour and 10 minutes of deliberation.

Senator Cetone will carry his case to the higher courts. Sentence will be deferred pending a motion for a new trial.

Other Cases to Be Tried.

With the conviction of Senator Cetone the last of the dictagraph cases has been disposed of. Other bribery indictments are standing against Representatives Frank M. Calvey of Cleveland and A. Clark Lowry of Ironton, Senators Edgar T. Crawford of Auglaize and T. A. Dean of Fremont, Former Mayor C. A. Bond of Columbus and Stanley Harrison, assistant sergeant-at-arms of the senate, but in none of these does the dictagraph figure.

Prosecutor Turner announced that the Bond case probably will be the next one to be tried, but on account of other urgent work, it probably will not be taken up until the next term of court

$100,000,000 IS LOST ANNUALLY

Through Ravages of Typhoid Fever.

175,000 CASES COULD BE AVOIDED EASILY

Allan J. McLaughlin Makes Address Before Meeting Today—Says Disease Is Worse Than Cholera—The Mortality in America Far Exceeds That in Europe—Figures Quoted To Establish Point Made.

New York, Dec. 5.—That the annual economic loss from typhoid fever in this country is $100,000,000 and that 175,000 cases of the disease could be prevented yearly by a campaign of education, were the statements made today by Allan J. McLaughlin, of the United States public health service, at the fifth annual meeting of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents at the Hotel Astor.

The meeting was attended by presidents and executives of companies in nearly every state, representing about $18,000,000,000 worth of capital.

Dr. McLaughlin, after estimating the loss from typhoid fever, declared that ravages of this disease were more disastrous than cholera and quoted statistics to prove his point. He quoted figures to show that mortality from typhoid in this country far exceeds that in Europe.

Of fifteen European cities cited, Paris has the largest death rate, which is five and six-tenths per cent. for 100,000. These figures were among the American cities and their typhoid rates quoted:

Boston, eleven; Chicago, 13.7; St. Louis, 13.9; Philadelphia, 17.5; Buffalo, twenty; Detroit, twenty-three; Pittsburgh, 27.8.

Myron T. Herrick, United States ambassador to France, spoke in favor of the adoption of a plan of financial rural credits in this country and the creation of a life-insurance plan to cover indebtedness in the event of a borrower's death.

An old linen sheet makes an admirable ironing cloth.

ADAMSON BILL PASSES HOUSE

Provides for Physical Valuation of Railroads.

IT WILL TAKE THREE YEARS TO DO WORK

Thorough Inventory of Property Is Ordered.

Report Accompanying Bill Declares Monopoly Grows Up, Whereby Railroads Charge on What They Owe as Well as on What They Own. Interstate Commerce Commission To Do Work.

Washington, Dec. 5.—The Adamson bill, for the physical valuation of railroads, passed the house today. The bill imposes a three years' task on the Interstate Commerce commission. The bill passed on a viva voce vote.

An amendment, which provided that the Interstate Commerce commission shall certify to stock and bond issues of railroads was defeated, the argument being that it was distinct from the bill directing the commission merely to ascertain the worth of the property of all common carriers.

The bill directs the Interstate Commerce commission to engage the necessary number of experts to make a thorough inventory of the property of all railroads engaged in interstate commerce. It is provided that the investigation shall embrace the rolling stock, capitalization and stock and bond issues and all assets and liabilities of the common carriers.

The report accompanying the bill delares the anomaly has grown up in this country whereby railroads charge on what they owe as what they own, and that nowhere else does this condition exist.

Representative Sims, who had charge of the bill on the floor, asserted that a physical valuation of railroad properties is absolutely essential if the Interstate Commerce commission is to have information making it possible to assess reasonable rates.

Palmer After Reid.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Representative A. Mitchell Palmer today declared that Ambassador Whitelaw Reid at London should be publicly censured for an address Reid made at the University of Wales in which he said Jefferson was "clay-footed" and in which he criticised the Democratic party as unworthy followers of Jefferson.

Palmer charged that it was particularly unbecoming for Reid as an ambassador to hold up one of our greatest citizens to the scorn and jibes of Europe."

Palmer said Reid had been guilty of gross impropriety by deliberately misrepresenting the character of Jefferson, and that the whole tenor of his address was to depict the "odious details" of Jefferson's life. He set down amid great applause from the Democratic side.

Representative Gillett, of Massachusetts, asked that in order that members might decide for themselves the intent of the speech it be printed in the Congressional Record.

A chorus of Democratic objections was raised.

Representative Good, of Iowa, read from the writings of President-elect Wilson to show that Wilson described Jefferson as a man whom "Washington found to be a guide, who needed watching."

"Wilson's description," said Good is worse than any that Ambassador Reid said."

National Banks Barred.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Secretary MacVeagh let it become known today that he will not deposit any of the surplus of the United States treasury in national banks. He does not think conditions warrant any such action by the federal government, but believes that to transfer $25,000,000 or $50,000,000 to national banks, as proposed in the Levy resolution in the house, Tuesday, would be to disturb public security.

MacVeagh has received a report from Assistant Secretary Bailey, who recently visited Chicago and Kansas City, and said banking interests in that section do not need the assistance of the treasury.

A KENTON MAN IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Shoots Himself While Engaged in Shooting Rats.

The condition of Sidney Potter, the aged resident of Robinson avenue, who accidentally shot himself in the hand Tuesday morning is worse today. It is feared that complications will develop which will prove fatal, says the Kenton Democrat.

It is stated that indications of gangrene are to be seen and it is feared that blood-poisoning may cost the man his life. Mr. Potter was shooting at rats when the gun accidentally discharged, the bullet tearing away part of one of his fingers.

A son was born, Thursday, to Mr. and Mrs. Perry Shuster, of No. 246 Windsor street.

Buttons are richer in variety than for years past; the half ball is a great favorite.

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UHLER-PHILLIPS

Dennison's Christmas Labels, Tags, Cards, Stickers, etc., at 5c. to 25c. package.

There are just 16 More Shopping Days.

Holly Ribbons 10c bolt.

Also a big new stock of plain red and green Christmas ribbons—in 10-yard bolts—at a bolt **10c**

CHRISTMAS BOXES 3c. to 15c.

Early shoppers will find in stock beautiful CHRISTMAS BOXES in suitable sizes for most any present. These boxes will be found in our enlarged new Christmas BOOK STORE on the Balcony.

Marion's greatest Christmas Store is ready as it never was before--20 big Christmas Stores in One: All's Ready for Early Shopping.

Tapestry Painted China

The most beautiful and tasteful of all painted china.. Trays, jars, vases, etc.—25c to 1.50.

THE greatest and best Christmas Store between Columbus and Toledo is now in complete **readiness.** You needn't wait another minute longer—should not, in fact! For if you derive pleasure and enjoyment instead of nerve wreck and temper out of it—com nence your Christmas shopping early—**tomorrow.**

Christmas HANDKERCHIEFS all a flutter

THOUSANDS upon thousands of what are altogether the prettiest and daintiest handkerchiefs—ever shown by a Marion store—are now ready. A great white wave of them has rolled out from the regular "Handkerchief Section" and taken possession of the big main aisle, for the time being.

25c **at this price the greatest collection of beautiful Frence Maderia and Irish, all pure-linen, hand-embroidered, Armenia Lace, Swiss, Lace edge and Initial Kerchiefs—in our history.. Everybody tells us that they have never before seen such exquisite patterns sold at only 25c**

SPECIAL GIFT BOXES OF EMBROIDERED HANDKERCHIEFS—three beautiful hand-embroidered kerchiefs in a pretty box for 50c—and six 25c embroidered ones boxed—great value at **$1.00**

Extra Special. Hundreds of dozens 10c Embroidered Corner Handkerchiefs at 5c.

Women's Hand-Embroidered Handkerchiefs which looks like 25c ones—extra SPECIAL at *15c*

French "Bretonne" hand-embroidered Shamrock lawn and Armenian lace kerchiefs—by far the best values we've ever known at 15c

MEN'S Special Handkerchiefs at 10c, 15c and 25c—those at 15c are all pure linen

Children's embroidered, all linen Handkerchiefs in a pretty, fancy box for 25c

Splendid Gifts in Our Leather Goods Dept.

Hand Bags—Traveling Sets—Bill Books—Purses

TRAVELING SETS from the simpler sorts of just two military brushes in an attractive leather case—to those very complete ones containing clothes brushes, manicure sets, mirror, shaving articles, etc., all in one fine grained leather case, at $5.98, $5.00, $4.50, $3.50 down to..... **$1.00**

IVORY TRAVELING SETS—These include wonderfully attractive new styles—with fine seal leather cases and flat brushes which occupy comparatively no space at all. Splendidly equipped cases at 5 to $7.98—and the largest and most elegant one in the city with nearly 20 separate articles in it at 13.98 instead of $20.00.

..Manicure Sets at 50c to $7.50, Traveling Manicure Sets in small leather cases 98c to $6.50. Traveling Sets of leather Collar Bag, Kerchief and Tie Holder at $5.00. Leather Collar Bags—[illegible] at from 50c and $1.00 up to $5.98.

Finished Fancy Ribbon Pieces 25c to $3.50

A wonderfully extensive assortment of beautifully made ribbon hat pin holders, laundry lists, darning and crochet sets, bridge sets, needle books, jewel boxes, vanity bags and all sizes and shapes in pin cushions.. 25c, 39c, 50c, 75c, 1.00 to $3.50.

GLOVES

She will be sure to appreciate the good ones from our store.

THIS STORE ALWAYS

Sells hundreds and thousands of pairs each December for Christmas gifts. Few things, indeed, make a more appreciable inexpensive present.

$1.00 pair—our magnificent French Glace Kid **"Parisienne"** Gloves in black, white and all colors—our **"Bacmo"** Cape Gloves—1-clasp **Mocha** and **Reynier's black Suede Gloves.**

At $1.50 pair—very finest quality French kid **"La Perle"** and—**"Alexander"** Gloves—black, white and colors—and "Bacmo" cape gloves.

White **Doeskin** gloves at ..... **$1 & $1.50**

Long white, black & tan glace kid gloves **$2.98 to $4.**

Our Vast Christmas Art Store is filled to overflowing with artistic novelties.

DeskSets **Handsome, complete Desk Sets,** with flexible blotter pads brushed and hammered brass at **from $2.50 to $8.50.** Separate pieces—ink wells, trays, pen holders, blotters, postal scales, etc., at **25c to $2.50.**

Shaving Sets **Complete Nickel, Sterling Silver and Ivory Shaving Sets.** The better ones having heavy, double French bevelled mirrors and adjustable standards. **Begin at $1.00 and $1.25—range up to $6.00.**

Smoking Sets **Everything to complete a man's smoking outfit**—from single pieces—(ash trays, match holders and the like)—in brass, copper and gun metal to fine complete sets and stands. **At from 25c and 39c up to $6.50.**

Picture Frames **A very great variety of pretty Frames.** Plain and fancy—large and small—square, oval and round—in brass, nickel imitation and genuine Sterling Silver—at every price between **19c and $3.50.**

Jewel Cases **Hundreds of beautiful floral pattern, rose gold and German silver Jewel Cases** of every size. Lined daintily in light blue or pink. Start with **the special 25c cases**—the prices range step by step up to **$7.50.**

Fine Boxed Stationary at from 50c to $3 box.

Finest Christmas STATIONERY.

Nothing but Eaton-Hurlburt's Best Papers carried in this Dept.

A box of such splendid letter or note paper as this—beautifully boxed—makes just about as good a gift as one runs across.

SPECIAL AT 25c.

Brand new stock of Eaton-Hurlburt's fine **"Delft" INITIAL Stationery**—paper and envelopes neatly boxed— **25c box.**

Also stationery in new style fancy Holly and Poinsetta boxes—and children's pretty illustrated **"Fairy Letter"** stationery at **25c.**

AT 25c A POUND.

"French Mouseline" and "Linen Noveaute" Letter Paper—full lb. package, 25c

Pyralion Ivory Toilet Sets.

The most extensive showing, by far, of the wonderfully popular Ivory Toilet Articles and Sets, Ivory Traveling and Manicure Sets—in the city—Includes every new novelty piece—from the simplest 19c varieties up to the magnificent $20 traveling sets at..**$13.98**

Our prices on the finest Arlington Mills "Pyralin Ivory" average at least 25% LESS than other Marion merchants ask.

ESPECIALLY REMEMBER that to have Ivory pieces or sets **engraved before Christmas**—one's selections must be made **early.**

Elegant Cedar Chests.

OUR Christmas lines of "moth-proof" Cedar Chests—includes the most magnificent specimen it has ever been our pleasure to show. From the simpler and plainer strongly made chests—to the very larger, gracefully shaped copper-trimmed ones.

The prices range from $5 up to $22.50.

50c to 75c Wide Fancy Silk Xmas Ribbons at 29c yd.

A BARGAIN EXTRAORDINARY—hundreds of new pieces exquisite, wide, fancy Christmas Ribbons—equal to the best of 50c and 75c silk ribbons anywhere else. Practically an unlimited selection at 29c yard.

Christmas UMBRELLAS.

A great many folks will determine between now and Christmas day to give "her" or "him" an UMBRELLA.

Our vast assortments of thousands of them afford a wonderful selection of just the kind of good umbrellas you will want—at the lowest possible prices.

Women's Umbrellas $1, $1.50, $2 to $7.50.
Children's Umbrellas 50c to $1.50.
Men's Umbrellas $1, $1.50, $2 to $6.00.
Holly Umbrella Boxes 15c.

Two special lots at $1.50 and $2.00—women's beautiful umbrellas with combination gold-and-pearl or silver-and-pearl handles and union taffeta tops—and men's high-grade union taffeta umbrellas, with horn handles trimmed with gold or silver. Are more than exceptional values ..... $1.50 and $2.00

Two hundred men's and women's new Umbrellas—special at 98c. All have tops and an exceptionally good-quality union taffeta. Natural wood mission, gold and silver, pearl trimmed handles for women—and horn and metal handles for men. All are **98c**

Superb Silk Hosiery 50c to $3.50

Women's and Men's Special Pure Silk Hosiery at 50c the pair.

For Women—black and colors—with durable lisle thread soles. and garter tops. Special at **50c**

FOR MEN—pure thread silk—in a pretty gift box—one pair or assorted 2 colors in a box—a pair **50c**

Special Pure Thread Silk Hose for women and men—black and colors at a pair $1.00

Misses' Pure Silk Hose—black and white, $1.00.

A most magnificent line of fine guaranteed Silk hosiery in ordinary and out sizes—guaranteed for service at **$1.50, $2. and $2.50**

Shouts of Joy and Hundreds of Happy Faces in Santa's Own TOY SHOP These Days.

IF you would see the flood gates of joy opened wide—visit **"Santa's Toy Shop"** in our **Basement**—and see the happy boys and girls there—hovering now over this toy, now over that.

For it's here that are found those unusual and remarkable playthings, which excite all the wonder and happiness in the average boy's or girl's make-up.

Mechanical and electrical contrivances which will do much to instruct and to develop any boy's ingenuity. Dolls. dolls' outfits, sewing boxes, real furniture that's small—for mothers of little dollies.

Good old SANTA has certainly exerted himself to the utmost in his efforts to make this one of the grandest toy shops in Ohio.

Pool and Billard Tables.
Leather Upholstered Furniture.
Electrical and Spring Motors. Electrical Trains and Cars.
Fine large Pianos.
Oak and White Furniture.
Imported German Dolls.
Best Black Boards.
Complete Mechanical Railways.
All kinds of Steam Engines.
Hill-Climbing Toys.
Imported large Animals.
Latest model Airships.
Doll's Trunks.
Foot Balls and Boxing Gloves.
Mirrorscopes, (All sizes).
Acrobatic Men and Animals.
Shooting Galleries.
Musical Toys.
Horses and Wagons, etc.

Toys for both boys and girls at every price from 25c, 39c, 50c, 75c, 89c, $1.00 up to $20.00.

Boys' and Girls' BOOKS—

a great line of new Christmas Titles in our Balcony "Book Store"

Clark's superb Cut Glass & the beautiful Silver Deposit Ware

HERE one finds the most attractive and best selected stock of highest grade genuine cut glass in the city. Also a brand new showing of the rarely beautiful new **Silver Deposit Ware.**

In SILVER DEPOSIT Glassware—Water .Sets, .Creamers .and Sugars, Salts and Peppers, Liquor Sets, Comports, Vases, Bowls, Nappies, Celery Trays, Perfume Bottles, etc., at from 50c, 75c, 98c up to $8.00.

In CUT GLASS—a great assortment of all the above pieces at from 50c up to $16.50.

Our Enlarged Christmas BOOK STORE is on the Balcony This Year

3,000 COPIES OF LATE $1.50 FICTION AT 44c.

44c buys hundreds of the world's best new copyrighted books of fiction, including "The Girl of the Limberlost," "Heart Throbs," "The Greatest Wish in the World," "A Certain Rich Man," "Happy Hawkins," "The New Chronicles of Rebecca," and hundreds of others. Our unequalled price is but..... **44c**

50c GIFT BOOKS—with beautifullyembossed parchment paper covers in 3 colors—all in individaul boxes—Our special prices is **33c**

BOY'S AND GIRL'S BOOKS—2 special lines including hundreds of the latest titles by all the more famous writers at 50c and **25c**

BIBLES AND TESTAMENTS of every type—bound in limp leather 35c up to $5.00.

GIFT BOOKS beautifully bound and illustrated—in fancy boxes at 45c.

New 1913 ART CALENDARS at from 25c to $1.00.

The Uhler-Phillips Co

Bradley Knitted Mufflers.

All colors in the famous "Bradley" knitted V-neck Mufflers—in pretty individual boxes for Christmas 50c

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MRS. FRANK FOLK IS FOUND DEAD IN CHAIR

Husband Finds Her at Early Hour, Saturday Morning.

HEART TROUBLE THE CAUSE OF DEATH

Mrs. Folk Is a Life-Long Resident of Marion County—Leaves One Sister and Four Brothers--Funeral Services were held at Green Camp, Tuesday Afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Folk, sixty-eight years old, whose home was a mile west of Green Camp, was found dead in a chair near a stove at the home of her nephew, William Court, of Green Camp, Saturday, shortly after 3 o'clock. Coroner W. H. Hinkle pronounced death due to organic heart disease.

Mrs. Folk was found by her husband, who, with his wife, had gone to the Court home to keep house until Mr. Court returned from a visit in the East. Mrs. Folk became ill at an early hour that morning and her husband fixed a place for her in a rocker near the fire. A few minutes later she died.

Mrs. Gottlieb Allmendinger, who died at her home on west Church street, Friday, November 22, was a sister of Mrs. Folk, who was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Court. Mrs. Folk was born in Marion county, May 1, 1844, and had always lived in the county. She was married to Mr. Folk January 12, 1872. She is survived by her husband, one sister, Mrs. Byron Folk, of Marion, and four brothers, Joseph Court of Trumbull county; William Court, of Prospect; S. A. Court, of Cleveland, and Frank Court, of Marion.

The funeral services were held at the Green Camp Baptist church, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. I. A. Sutton, of LaRue, officiating.

CHANGES NEEDED IN JUVENILE LAWS

Marion County Needs a Place of Detention for Youths.

What are the needs of Marion county in the way of legislation with reference to the juvenile laws?

That is the question which Juvenile Judge Roland M. Baggott, of Montgomery county, asked Judge William S Spencer in a letter received Saturday. Judge Baggott has been requested by Gov-ernor-elect James M. Cox to learn some of the reforms needed in the state's juvenile laws, and he is sending out letters to the juvenile judges all over Ohio.

One of the greatest needs, so far as Marion county is concerned, Judge Spencer said that afternoon, is a detention home, so that boys and girls will not have to be incarcerated with criminals.

OFFICIAL NOTICE OF NEW STAMP ISSUE

Description of New Panama-Pacific Postage Stamps.

Postmaster M. B. Dickerson has received official notice of the issuance of Panama-Pacific commemoration postage stamps in honor of the World's exposition of 1915. He has made requisitions for shipments of the one, two, five and ten-cent denominations, and announces that the Panama-Pacific exposition stamps will be placed on sale here, January 1.

The new stamps are three-quarters of an inch by one and one-sixteenth inches. At the top of the stamps are the words, "U. S. Postage, San Francisco, 1915." A laurel branch border is on the left-hand side and a palm branch border on the right.

GETS BIG INHERITANCE BUT NOW IN INFIRMARY

Mrs. Valaria Hewitt Is Victim of "Gold Mine" Swindlers.

After inheriting $10,000 at the time of her husband's death a few years ago, Mrs. Valaria Hewitt is today an inmate of the Morrow county poorhouse, a victim of "gold mine" swindlers.

A bundle of beautifully embossed certificates found in her possession disclosed that she had "invested" in thirty-two different fake mining schemes. Attorney William F. Bruce, of Mt. Gilead, is conducting an investigation with a view of prosecuting the fakirs.

ALBERTA

The Price of Beef

is High and so is the price of Cattle.

For years the Province of ALBERTA, (Western Canada), was the big Ranching Country. Many of these ranches today are the scene of big crops, and the cattle have given place to fields of wheat, oats, barley and flax. The shape has made many thousands of American settled on these farms, wealthy, but has increased the price of live stock. There is splendid opportunity now to get a FREE HOMESTEAD of 160 acres (and pre-emption) in the Province, and pre-emptions at $3 per acre. The average yield of wheat for 1911 was 25 bushels per acre, and many fields produced 40 bushels per acre. Schools are convenient, climate healthful, railroads for business, the land is level, and you may obtain

Canadian Government Agent
2458 Dart Bldg.
Toledo, O.

or write the Department of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada.

JUST 20 SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS.

ANOTHER IMPROVEMENT SALE.

Right at the Beginning of the Christmas Selling Season

SCHAFFNER'S

Offer Choice of Their Entire Stocks at 10 to 25% Discount.

Everyone who has visited this store since the improvements of the past season were made, comments upon the decided improvement in the appearance and increased room. But still there isn't near enough floor space in which to display this magnificent and growing stock of Furniture and Dinnerware. We are planning the installing of an elevator, the tearing out of walls and the taking of additional floor space which has not, until now, been available on account of an unexpired lease. This change compels a reduction of our overcrowded stock, and we are going to sacrifice everything but our reputation for business honesty.

Any article you select will be laid aside until Xmas or January 1st — on a small cash payment.

A Hundred Rockers

We know that a great many people will want to give a Rocker as a Christmas gift, so we placed on our floors over a hundred distinctive and original designs. They, too, will be included in the sale. The line includes patterns in Golden, Fumed and Early English Oak, Mahogany and Circassian Walnut, with coverings of leather and tapestry. We would call your attention to the new Reed Rockers, done in Baronial Finish and upholstered with rich tapestry. They are truly beautiful. The following will show some of the cuts in prices.

Regular Price.	Sale Price.
$ 1.75 Rockers	$ 1.38.
$ 3.00 Rockers	$ 2.70.
$ 6.00 Rockers	$ 5.40.
$10.00 Rockers	$ 9.00.
$16.00 Rockers	$14.40.
$23.00 Rockers	$20.70.

The 25% knife has also been used in this department.

Fine stock of Xmas Lamps

Anticipating Holiday Demand, we have assembled a handsome display of gas and electric, mission and Colonial lamps—lamps that display a style and individuality that make them distinctively artistic.

IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A GIFT LAMP that is unusual—one that is out of the ordinary, this fine assortment of lamps, all moderately priced upon arrival, and now wonderful bargains, make the choosing of a Christmas Gift most agreeable.

Regular Price.	Sale Price.
$ 2.75 Lamps	$ 2.47.
$ 4.00 Lamps	$ 3.60.
$ 5.00 Lamps	$ 4.50.
$ 6.50 Lamps	$ 5.95.
$10.00 Lamps	$ 9.00.
$12.00 Lamps	$10.00.
$18.00 Lamps	$16.20.

Some of the Lamp prices, too, are cut 25%.

Brass Beds--Sale Prices

We Pride Ourselves on Having the Most Complete and Artistic Line of Brass Beds in the City.

We are featuring the Famous Damard Lacquer, which makes Brass Beds permanently beautiful. The brilliancy of their lustre endures unaltered by time and use, defying the corroding influences of weather conditions, the touch of perspiring hands, and the cleaning of ambitious housewives. It is guaranteed for five years.

Regular Price.	Sale Price.
$13.00 Brass Beds	$11.70.
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$27.00 Brass Beds	$24.30.
$37.00 Brass Beds	$33.30.
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$50.00 Brass Beds	$40.00.
$58.00 Brass Beds	$43.75.

Now, when you can buy such furniture at such cuts from such low prices, there is still greater incentive for the growing and sensible tendency for buying furniture for Christmas giving. Naturally, we expected to wait until the usual time for discount sales, but the representatives of the different builders of elevators tell us their business is such that if we expect to have an elevator installed before Spring selling begins, we must get the building ready for them earlier than we anticipated.

Nothing will be reserved later than January 1st. Nothing will be charged except at our regular low prices. Such discounts from our regular low prices compel spot cash terms, and, as this is a room-making sale, the goods must be out of the way so as to make the change possible as early after Christmas as possible.

Christmas China

Our China Department is prepared for a Great Holiday Demand, consequently our Stock of Dinnerware is most complete and contains many exquisitely rich and tasteful designs in Haviland, German, Austrian, Semi-Porcelain and Domestic. Each design is sold in open stock, and is included in our Discount Sale. You will be pleased to see our popular vintage design in Encrusted Gold.

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Dressers in Golden Oak,

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Might well be beautified by a Davenport, Couch, Library Table, Easy Chairs, Magazine Rack or Bookcase. All of the patterns are masterpieces of grace and construction, the cream of the product of the country's best manufacturers, all at a great saving.

Why Not a Dining Table?

It would be truly a joyous Christmas to have a dinner on a brand new Dining Table. We are well prepared to suit you in a table of any design or wood, and also in a Buffet or China Cabinet and Dining Room Chairs.

A $55.00 Solid Mahogany Dining Room Table.$40.00
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A $47.00 Solid Mahogany Set of Leather Seat Chairs $31.00

The 25% pencil held sway in our Dining Room Chair department.

Cuts of 10 to 25% on Buffets, China Closets, Dining Room Tables and Chairs in oak and other woods.

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Had you considered a Kitchen Cabinet as a gift for the "Cook?" It is probably the most sensible gift that one could give the wife or mother. She will use it 365 days in the year, and its conveniences and labor-saving advantages would be most heartily appreciated. Our stock of these convenient pieces of furniture is selected from the lines of the manufacturers of the newest and most improved Cabinets.

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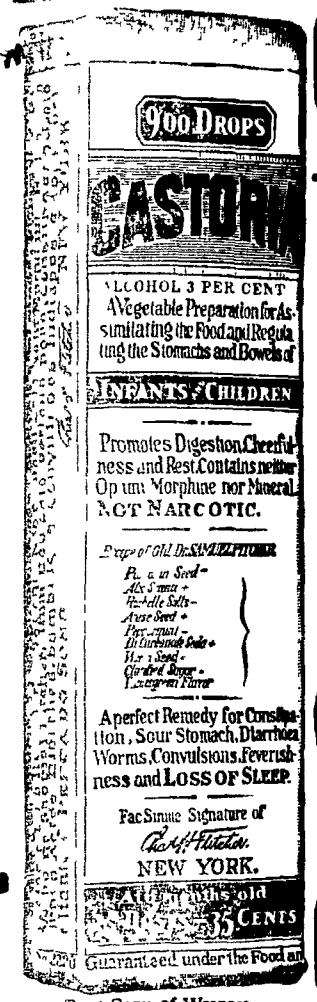
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Northbound Car Leaves the Track in Columbus.

THE CAR CRASHES INTO A STATIONARY CAR

Motormen Escape with Lives by Jumping—Vestibules of Cars Are Crushed—Injured Are Taken to the Grant Hospital—Story of Accident of Friday Afternoon.

Ten people were injured, none seriously when a northbound Columbus, Delaware & Marion car left the tracks is making the turn from Arcadia avenue into north High street at 4 15 yesterday afternoon, and crashed into a southbound car, stationary on the High street track, says the Ohio State Journal of Saturday.

James S Disbro, of Delaware, motorman of the limited, No 41, attributed the accident to failure of the air when he applied the brakes There is a slight grade at the turn

Five of the injured were taken to Grant hospital in the Pletcher-Brown, Shaw and police ambulances X-ray photographs of all their hurts were made by Dr Charles F Bowen Dr Fred Fletcher attended them

Woman Worst Injured.

The worst injured was Mrs Max McCann, of Nashport, who suffered a compound fracture of the left arm Motorman Disbro was bruised and cut on the right leg between the knee and ankle

Mrs Allie Pritchard, of 410 west Third avenue, was bruised about the right leg between the knee and ankle

J S Clifton, of 1064 west Broad street, a student at Ohio Wesleyan university, who was on his way home for a visit, has a badly bruised right leg above the ankle Possibly some of the bones of the leg are broken

Ray Henderly, aged nineteen, of Lancaster, suffered a fracture of the bones of his left hand Mrs E Albrecht, 783 south Third street, mother of Edward and John Albrecht, grocers, at 748 south High street, suffered an injury to her right foot, but was able to go to her home without assistance

Others hurt are Mrs Hitchcock, of Kendallville, Indiana, injured chest, Mrs L C Huff Plain City, Mrs John Mycroft North Broadway, and A L Matthewson, bruises

Car Vestibules Demolished.

The accident occurred directly in front of the north station of the Columbus Delaware & Marion Employes of the north barn of the Columbus Railway & Light company and Columbus, Delaware & Marion helped the injured from the cars Most of those hurt were on the south bound car.

The northbound car, which was in charge of Conductor Herbert Powell, of Delaware, left the track going at good speed, and when it collided with the stationary car the front vestibules of both were completely demolished Both motormen escaped by jumping

Many seats of the southbound car were loosened by the shock This car, No 640, was in charge of Conductor C D Young and Motorman L K Liggett, both of Delaware

The tracks were not cleared of the two damaged cars until late last night Passengers were compelled to transfer at the scene of the wreck Columbus, Delaware & Marion officials said both cars could be repaired and put back into service in a few weeks

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MRS. IDELLA FORD ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

Throws Herself into Scioto River Near Radnor.

Tuesday, Mrs Idella Ford, a former resident of Broadway, attempted suicide by throwing herself into the Scioto river, near Radnor, Delaware county She was rescued in time to save her life

Mrs Ford is a daughter of Mrs Ida L. Fox, who lives on the old Cohen place, near Radnor The daughter has been living in Piqua for several years, where she conducted a boarding house She came to the home of her mother on a visit the first of the week, and her mind is thought to be unbalanced by domestic troubles which have extended over a period of several years

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THE TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH FINANCES

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STATEMENT MADE BY PASTOR OF THE CHURCH

The Subscriptions Are Coming in Rapidly and the Members of the Church Expect To Clear the Church of Debt by December 1. A Special Meeting Thanksgiving.

At an informal meeting, held at the Trinity Baptist church, Thursday evening the pastor, Dr Walter A King, made an announcement of the financial condition of the church During the month of November, the church has been making an endeavor to raise the sum total of church indebtedness, which amounted to $38,-334 86 November 1 At the state church convention, $5,000 of this amount was promised, on condition that $15 000 be raised by the voluntary gifts of the members of the Trinity church

This condition was readily accepted by the Trinity church, and, during the last few weeks, subscriptions have come in with marvelous rapidity Sunday, the pastor announced that only an indebtedness of $8-000 remained, thereby indicating that approximately $30,000 had been raised

Thursday evenisg, Rev Dr King announced the total remaining indebtedness to be $5 699 50 Nearly $3,000 was, therefore, raised from Sunday to Thursday Dr King stated, Friday that over $700 in subscriptions was handed to him, while returning to his home from the church service, Sunday morning

When the pastor made his report, the large congregation arose in a body and sang the doxology The Baptist people confidently expect to raise the remainder of the amount before December 1

MARRIAGE SERVICE AT BRIDE'S HOME

Miss Eva B. Marshall and Mr. Sherman Helwig United.

Miss Eva B Marshall and Mr Sherman Helwig, of La Rue, were united in marriage at the home of the bride eight miles northeast of Marion, Thursday afternoon at 1 o clock The ceremony was performed by Rev G A Scott of the Epworth M E church, in the presence of a small company of friends and relatives

After the ceremony a wedding dinner was served

The bride is a sister of K H Marshall, principal of the Marion High school and is an accomplished young woman The groom is a farmer For the present Mr and Mrs Helwig will reside with the bride's mother

MASONIC APRON IS RESTORED TO LODGE

Apron Taken by Looting Soldiers During War.

Captain Danford Hare, of Ashley, after a lapse of forty-seven years, has restored to the Masonic lodge at Sandersville Georgia, a Masonic apron taken from there when the Northern soldiers looted the Masonic lodge room in 1865 At the close of the war Captain Hare, who had come isto possession of the apron from a soldier of his regiment, wrote to the Sandersville lodge, but received no reply Recently he again wrote and received a reply Now the apron will be placed in a frame with the picture of Captain Hare and hung in the Southern lodge hall as a sacred emblem of brotherly love and a united country.

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A PRETTY WEDDING AT THE STALEY HOME

Miss Minnie Staley and Mr. Carl Ufferman Wed.

A simple but pretty home wedding was celebrated at the residence of Mr and Mrs James Staley, of north Grand avenue, at noon, Thursday when their daughter, Minnie, became the wife of Mr Carl Ufferman, an employe of the Marion Steam Shovel company At the hour appointed the bridal couple took their places in the front parlor before the officiating minister, Rev G A Scott, pastor of the Epworth M E church, who performed a brief but impressive ceremony

After congratulations had been extended the company of about thirty friends and relatives enjoyed an elaborate eight-course dinner The afternoon was spent socially The bride looked very pretty in a gown of cream serge trimmed with Irish point lace

The out-of-town guests were Mrs Emma A Zimmerman, an aunt of the groom, and Mr Ray Zimmerman, a cousin of the groom of Columbus, and Mr and Mrs Harry Staley, of Cardington the former being a brother of the bride

The young people will reside on Ballentine avenue The groom is a son of Mr and Mrs Charles Ufferman of Ballentine avenue.

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From now until Christmas, the store will be open evenings to accommodate gift seekers. Lowest prices for absolutely dependable jewelry—is certain.

Xmas Rings.

Large set rings to be worn on the little finger are very popular. Signets, precious and semi-precious stone set rings.

Scarf Pins—Endless selection—Best gold-filled and solid gold.

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Our stock never was so attractive nor reasonably priced. Water Pitchers, Platters, Trays, etc. $7.00 to $50.

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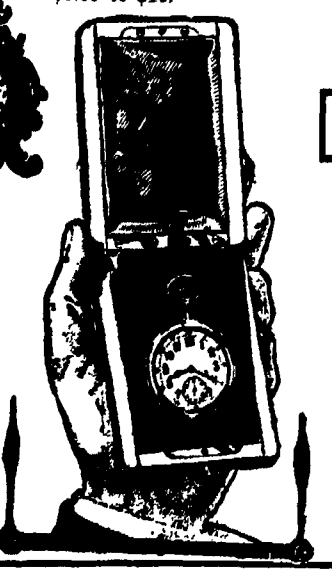
A host of new styles. Chime Clocks as low as $18. Fine Mantel and Library Clocks $3.00 to $15.



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PLAYING INTO CARNEGIE'S HANDS.

The papers which have been "taking a fall out of Mr. Carnegie" because he had the temerity to offer to provide a fund for pensioning ex-presidents of the United States are not offending that canny Scot. They are simply "plowing with his heifer," to use a phrase in temporary favor. Mr. Carnegie's chief pleasure in life, and his principal occupation is working the newspapers for front page display, top of column and next to pure reading matter. He prefers to be praised, but he would much rather be abused than ignored. His "impertinent meddling," as some critics have called it, will doubtless accomplish the purpose he had in mind when he made the offer. He got the advertisement, and he will probably shame the government into making provision for its former chief executives. It retires army officers and federal judges on part pay. An ex-president may, of course, if he has the health, take up the occupation laid down to enter the government service. But usually elevation to the presidency comes after long years of public service on a salary which permits little saving for age. It is very hard, also, for a man to pick up the threads of a law practice, or to renew business connections and habits long abandoned. It is true that they can, if they are willing to do so, trade upon their prestige. But there are many things a man who has held the office of president can not do with dignity. We believe that the government should provide a sum sufficient for the ex-president to live on in a scale which comports to his dignity, this pension to be surrendered if he seeks reelection to office under the government.

He might be made an advisory member of the cabinet, his services to be available upon request of the president. In railway circles now it has become the custom to make the retired presidents of the corporation the chairmen of the boards of directors, thus relieving them of active responsibility, but reserving to the corporation the benefit of their knowledge and experience and at the same time giving them continued interest in life and an income which would prevent worry or an attempt to hold the reins after age had weakened the hands or dimmed the eyes.

The Democratic platform declares for a single term in the presidency, and many members of all parties favor a change in our constitution making provision for but a term of five or six years, the holder to be ineligible to reelection. We favor the change ourselves for several reasons. First, of course, it would leave the president free to work out his theories without the necessity of trimming his sails to catch the shifting second-term breezes and would prevent the use of the office and its patronage for the construction of a personal machine. It would do away with the danger to the republic from the over-ambitious. But there is another reason. The presidency is an office which imposes a terrific strain, mental and physical, on its occupant. The choice usually and naturally falls on a man past early middle age. For four or eight years, as the case may be, he gives himself up to a life of exhausting labor, of tense responsibility. He lives in the full glare of publicity, even in his hours of rest. He is forced to lead an irregular life, to avoid simplicity, and to surrender his nights as well as his days to the social and formal as well as to the routine duties of his place. His life is hourly threatened by cranks and his health nightly menaced by banquets. He may not nod at an audience nor sleep through a dinner. He must be on the job all the time.

The result of this strain is shown by the fact that few men have long survived it. All around us are men much older than Garfield, McKinley, Cleveland and Harrison would be now were they still among the living. Yet each of these was a man of rugged constitution and sound health when he entered the presidency. Theodore Roosevelt is our only living ex-president, a man of marvelous physique and exceptional training, yet who can say that the presidency did not sap his vitality largely?

But if the single term presidency comes we will have more ex-presidents. With a hundred million people to choose from, we should have no difficulty in finding an unfailing supply of good presidents. And we can afford to pay them an annuity after their active duties are over and secure the benefits of their experienced judgment, uninfluenced by ambition, untainted by selfish interest.

And Mr. Carnegie is welcome to the advertisemene here given.

THE APPOINTED AND DISAPPOINTED.

In an authorized interview given out at Washington Senator Burton says:

"If a senator devotes his time to the consideration of public questions of supreme legislative importance he must subordinate matters of party patronage. Otherwise he will find that his time is entirely consumed in determining who shall be appointed to postoffices and other minor positions of a public character. This serves both to detract from his usefulness and to arouse bitter enmities."

The senator is unquestionably right in this matter, and taking the position he does he should shift the responsibility for appointments upon the party committees, where it properly belongs. The committeemen come directly from the people and are in close touch with them. An attitude thus taken and maintained would save the senator and his colleagues in both branches of congress much annoyance and embarrassment, and enable them to devote their attention to legislative matters. And they would lose no personal political strength by so doing. Where one is appointed many are usually disappointed; and where the appointed ceases from political exertion the disappointed put on the war paint and go scalp hunting. We are glad for the senator's sake that he has reached the above conclusion.

"Considering how our ancestors had to get along without the wise guidance of some of our present-day, self-appointed saviours of the country," observed the restaurant philosopher at luncheon today, "it's bound to be a source of wonder to some of us that we are here."

It appears to be the idea down in Washington, that among the best evidences of the possession of a high degree of statesmanship is an appreciation of absolute necessity of a recess sufficiently early and extended to give the utmost opportunity for the enjoyment of the glad holiday season.

SANDLES AS A CABINET POSSIBILITY.

Alfred Putnam Sandles is a real simon-pure candidate for a place in the Wilson cabinet. He has a press bureau and all the trimmings. We have been asked to cooperate and we do so heartily. We are for "Put." and we would be for him if he had a chance to win, which he hasn't. The job is sewed up by Dr. Wiley, who has made Dr. Wilson believe that the lamentations over his departure from government service were on the level instead of merely being the output of the anti-administration ammunition factory.

If Dr. Wilson were so experienced as some other people, he would leave Dr. Wiley to the enjoyment of the contributing editorship and Chautauqua engagements which enticed him from his former job. He would realize that Dr. Wiley is a selfish person, who worked out a scheme of self-advertising and who was sleeplessly on that job. He is impractical, undisciplined and he would be at odds with any administration that did not permit him to run amuck through any laws, courts, precedents or policies. He has not been shown to have been right in even a majority of times. He is as fatal to the peace of any administration as a tariff bill and as disastrous to discipline as a swarm of bees in a church.

Now "Put." is different. He rules by tact. He is as good a self-advertiser as Doc. Wiley, but his work is not so coarse. He began holding all the offices in his county and district when he was still smoking pennyroyal cigarets in corn husk wrappers. He knows that the undesirable citizen of this administration may be the chief quartermaster at Armageddon in 1914 or 1916 or later. Therefore he soothes while he admonishes, he is cruel only to be kind. "Put." would be an asset to the administration and make friends for it. He overflows with the sterilized milk of human kindness and he looks a long way ahead. In 1916 all these lads Putnam has been taking to the state fairs at public expense, all these corn exhibitors, will be voters and they will rally wherever the Sandles banner floats in air. To restore Wiley to power and promote him would make his insufferable in his egotism. To elevate Alfred P., would give a new and striking character to history. And he is just as good a man for the job as Doc. We are for "Put."

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BENEFIT OF THE DOUBT.

Governor Dix, of New York, justifies his pardon of Patrick by the statement that he believes the convicted lawyer to be innocent. In any event, it is an unusual case in many ways. It was never clearly established that Rice, the alleged victim, was actually murdered. He was, it is known, at the point of death from natural causes. It was never contended that Patrick was the actual murdered, but that he induced the valet, Jones, who confessed, to administer the poison. There was no clearly-defined motive, for Patrick was sure of benefitting from Rice's inevitable death from natural causes. And yet here is a man of good family and unblemished character in the past convicted on the testimony of a man of no character, given in exchange for a promise of immunity, sentenced to death, and has his sentence commuted in the face of his protest that he was either guilty and deserving of death, or innocent and entitled to freedom. Courts have since divided upon the question of his guilt, governors have admitted that he was probably innocent, and yet, because of fear of public criticism, he has been kept behind the bars. It is now too late, probably, to absolutely establish the truth, but we think Patrick was entitled to the benefit of the doubt.

But we wonder if Governor Dix would have had the courage to issue the pardon if his political career had not been at its close.

UNDER MINORITY GOVERNMENT.

The vote on the proposed bond issue for schoolhouse purposes is another evidence to show that there is merit in the Star's contention that government by the initiative and referendum is government by the minority. Here is a question of vital importance to the people of Marion—a proposition to issue $100,000 in bonds by which to raise funds to erect buildings adequate to the housing of the school children of the city. Either the amount, or the purpose for which the proceeds of the sale of the bonds was to be applied, should have been sufficient to have brought out to the polls every voter in the city and that portion of the township included in the school district. And yet less than one-third of the voters of the district turned out to register their vote on a proposition of such import. Less than one-third of the voters entitled to take part in the matter decided that $100,000 should not be added to our bonded indebtedness. Less than one-third of the voters, qualified to vote, decided that no provision in the way of new buildings should be made for the accommodation of the school children of Marion.

And again—and it's a matter which must be taken into consideratin in weighing the merits of the initiative and referendum—no matter what the size of the vote, the cost is just the same. Incidentally, it may be said that the cost is always enough.

It is reported that Congressman Mann, of Illinois, will seek to have the rank of general revived for Colonel Goethals. This is an honor held in America in the past by Washington, Grant, Sherman and Sheridan. We cordially endorse the proposal. "Peace hath her victories no less renowned than war," and we shall be glad indeed to see an officer, who has given such a magnificent demonstration of efficiency, honesty, leadership and inflexible justice, receive about the only adequate reward that it is in the power of the government and the people to bestow. And we would like to see similar promotion and honors go to the splendid surgeon who banished Yellow Jack and made Goethals' success possible.

Governor-elect Cox is having no trouble at this early stage. He has started off like a real boss by naming the officers of the legislature and determining the time for the calling of the legislative caucus, but there will come difficulties later. The Democratic majorities are too large and there are too many men in it with crank ideas to be driven quietly toward a second-term program. And Herbert Bigelow is making bad medicine in his tepee. There will be doings before corn-planting time.

Cable tolls were paid, a day or two ago, to let us know that one of the Wilson girls "almost" fell into the water. With a starter like that, we can hardly blame the pessimists for looking for the worst for the next four years.

THE OTHER SIDE OF IT.

Certainly no one will attempt to minimise the evils of the so-called "white slave" traffic. There have been developments which have shocked the most sophisticated of the big city dwellers. Every good citizen will lend his utmost endeavor to stamp out the dreadful system and punish its promoters. But just now, it seems to us, there is a good deal of hysteria in the hue and cry about it. A great many members of what has been called "the oldest profession in the world," are using the agitation to win a little profitable notoriety. It may be an unpleasantly cynical comment upon our civilisation, but it is the truth that most of the women who fill the brothels of every city are not the victims of brutal, deceiving men, but vain, lazy women, who deliberately turn their backs upon virtue and take what they conceive to be the "easiest way" to material comfort and slothful ease. The other day the mayor of Canton, just inducted into office and fairly bloated with altruistic schemes, closed the resorts in the red-lighted district and announced that the women inmates would be given opportunity to earn livelihoods by honest labor or be compelled to leave town. Then he bestirred himself to find places for them to labor. Help was given him eagerly and places found for all who wanted to work out their salvation in decent toil. And not one of them accepted the opportunity thus extended. The rewards were not sufficiently alluring and the idea of labor and orderly living had no appeal. They preferred to move on to other, less governed cities. The mayor now has a different idea of these matters. It has been proved, time and again, that any man or woman who has the desire and the will power can rebuild the wreck of character and reputation and in the doing find helpful friends in every walk of life, but there must be both the desire and the persistent determination. Down with the white slavers and the panderers, but let us remember that all the Liliths are not slaves to anything but their own depravity and laziness.

A DANGEROUS LOT.

It is probably too much to hope that Messrs. Ettor, Giovanitti and Caruso, having been acquitted of murder, will return to their own lands and permit the employers and employes of Lawrence to fight out their own differences. These are not working men, but, like the murderous Haywood, are professional agitators, inciting men to violence and murder, and usually arranging for personal alibis when trouble comes. The Industrial Workers of the World is not a labor organization. It is an organized mob, made up of men like these and their dupes, and warring upon society. No one of the leaders could be induced, at any wage, to labor steadily with hands and brawn. It has been shown that conditions in many of the industries in Lawrence were deplorable and some of the employers brutal and grasping. To bring about reforms it was necessary to call attention to these conditions and public sentiment—the most potent of influences—brought about improvements. The riots, the incendiary speeches, the parading under the red flag, accomplished no good, but entailed untold suffering and loss. But we shall hear from Ettor and Haywood, et al., again, and when we do, it will be in connection with the deaths of some of their deluded victims and the wrecking of the factories in which men find the employment which gives them a livelihood.

OUSTING THE MOTHER-IN-LAW.

The probate judge of Franklin county has enlarged his jurisdiction. Recently a man was before him charged with abuse of his family. The judge, after the hearing, diagnosed the case as one of "too much mother-in-law" and ordered the wife of the defendant to "clean her house" of all persons except her husband, children and herself. Perhaps there is something in our new and wonderful constitution which gives the probate judge the extraordinary powers here assumed, but we do not know ot it. And perhaps the old "mother-in-law" joke here really had some justification, but hardly enough to warrant a man driving his wife and children out into the street. But, as a general proposition, the mother-in-law is more help than hindrance, and, treated with a particle of consideration, would become one of the household beneficences. It takes mothers-in-law to make grandmothers, and the youngster who grows up without knowing the love and comradeship of a grandmother is unfortunate indeed.

THE WORLD'S PROGRESS ONLY BEGUN.

[Cleveland Leader.]

Officials who are familiar with the international trade of the world say that nearly every country known to the commerce of civilized nations will make a new high water mark this year in the total volume of its exports and imports. It is calculated that the international traffic of the world will reach the unprecedented sum of $35,000,000,000.

That amount of money is so stupendous that it is difficult to comprehend, even in the loosest and most general way. It is equal to about $24 for every man, woman and child on the globe. But from another point of view a total of $35,000,000,000 for the international commerce of the earth is so small that it must prove only a hint of what is yet to come.

It is only about nine times the foreign trade of the United States, and only a little more than twice the total international commerce of the United States, the United Kingdom, Germany and France. If the rest of the world were as advanced, industrially and commercially, as these four nations the foreign commerce of the globe would be not $35,000,000,000, but well over $100,000,000,000.

The most interesting and extensive opportunities for the future trade of countries like the United States lie in the practical certainty that lands in which a billion people live will be so transformed by modern methods that their commerce and industries will be multiplied many fold. There is no possibility of such gains by the settlement of unoccupied regions anywhere in the world as exist in the coming awakening of China, for instance. The same conditions, in varying degrees, exist in India, Persia, Turkey and nearly the entire continent of Africa.

This promise for the future justifies expectations of an expansion in international trade which will make the largest past gains of the most advanced nations seem small by comparison. This year the international traffic of the United States will set a new mark above $4,000,000,000, but it is safe to say that men no longer young will live to see the foreign commerce of this country rise above $10,000,000,000.

What the ultimate maximum will be it is idle to guess. The only certainty is that the foremost nation of America will have a generous share in a total international traffic far beyond the unprecedented record of 1912.

DEPLORABLE ACCIDENT TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Little Clara Cecil Strawser Killed by Street Car.

RUNS IN FRONT OF CAR WHILE DODGING AUTOS

Wheels Pass Over Child's Body at the Hips and Body Is Rolled Some Distance Before the Car Can Be Stopped—Breathes Few Times After the Accident.

Returning to her home, after finishing her day's schooling in the first grade at the Forest Lawn school, Clara Cecil Strawser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton C. Strawser, of No. 306 Chicago avenue, was run down by a street car at the intersection of Reed avenue and Center street, shortly after 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, and almost instantly killed.

News of the accident spread rapidly over the city and sympathy was expressed on every hand for the heart-broken parents.

The victim of the sad accident would have been seven years old in February. She was a pupil of Miss DeEmma Hawley, teacher of the first grade at the Forest Lawn building, which was dismissed at 3 o'clock. The unfortunate little girl was hastening home, and at Reed avenue intended to cross the street to the north side of Center street. Three automobiles, occupied by the jurymen empaneled in the murder case of Simeon Glathart, in Claridon township, were going to the scene of the murder, and the little girl waited for the first automobile to pass.

Body Rolled Under Car.

Believing she had time to cross and her attention being on the other approaching autos, she started to run and went directly in front of the car coming from the east. She was on the north rail when the car struck her and she went under. Both wheels passed over her body at the thighs and she was rolled under the car which came to a stop after moving about two car lengths.

The car which caused the death of the girl was No. 400, and was in charge of Conductor E. L. Lewis and Motorman S. E. Garrett. Mr. Garrett, who is one of the oldest and most capable men in the service of the company, assisted in picking up the victim, and she was carried into the home of E. G. Watzel. She was unconscious, and breathed but a few minutes after the accident occurred.

Coroner W. H. Hinklin was at once notified and hastened to the scene, the child being dead on his arrival. From inquiry made by him he expressed the opinion that it was an accident, and he held no person to blame.

Power Turned Off.

Motorman Garrett stated that when he saw the automobiles approaching he turned off the power and was running with the break slightly set. He stated that he did not see the girl until she ran from behind the automobile on the track, and that he was only a half car length from her when she stepped onto the track. It was his opinion that the girl would have crossed the track safely had she not paused slightly on turning and seeing the car.

The father of the victim was notified while at work at the shops of the Marion Steam Shovel company and hastened on his bicycle to the Watzel home. He was heart-broken when he found his daughter had been killed and he had to be assisted home.

M. H. Gunder's ambulance was called as soon as the accident occurred and the remains were removed to his undertaking parlors on Blaine avenue.

An Ambitious Child.

The victim of the accident was one of the most ambitious in her class, and was well liked by all of her schoolmates. She carried one of her school books with her when the accident occurred. Besides her heart-broken parents she is survived by two brothers and one sister. They are LeRoy Ellsworth, aged five years, Clinton, aged two years, and Marvine Edris, aged seven months. The remains were taken to Circleville, from which place the parents moved here three years ago. Interment was made in Pontious cemetery.

As a result of the accident, a member of the city council expressed the opinion that the company should be compelled to equip its cars with improved fenders, and action to that end will likely be taken at the next meeting of the council.

The car which struck the girl was equipped with a mesh fender under the car, as are all of the cars of the 400 series. This fender is operated by a lever by the motorman, who in cases of this kind hardly has time to drop the fender. With the use of fenders of this kind, there is great danger of one hit by a car being killed before being caught by the fender, in cases where there is time to work it, as the vestibule of the car projects out over it.

Damage Suit Settled.

The damage suit of John Bingham against the Hall-Cronin company, has been settled, through Mouser & Moloney, representing the plaintiff, for $2,300. The cause was pending in the supreme court at the time the settlement was made. Bingham suffered injuries to his spine while employed by the company in this city. He sued for $5,000.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jules V. Barnd, of south Prospect street, Sunday morning.

BOND PROPOSITION IS BEATEN BADLY

Just About One-Third of the Total Vote Is Cast.

RESULT OF ELECTION IN THE CITY TUESDAY

Those Against Issue of Bonds in Sum of $100,000 Number 896—Those Favoring the Issue Number 517. What the School Board May Do Under the Law.

Just 1,413 electors voted in the $100,000 school building bond election, Tuesday, and defeated the proposition by a majority of 379.

Just about one-third of the total vote was cast. The bond issue carried only in four precincts out of the twenty-one. It carried First D by one vote, Third E by four votes, Fourth A by ten votes and Marion South by two votes.

Only one vote was cast in Marion North and that was against the bond issue.

The following is the total vote cast for and against the bond issue by precinct:

Precinct	Yes.	No.
First A	23	56
First B	20	59
First C	20	35
First D	29	28
First E	18	58
Second A	25	45
Second B	14	52
Second C	12	40
Second D	9	22
Third A	31	49
Third B	29	40
Third C	23	49
Third D	32	52
Third E	48	44
Third F	17	51
Third F	17	51
Third G	28	37
Fourth A	68	58
Fourth B	32	69
Fourth C	34	48
Marion, North	0	1
Marion, South	5	3
Totals	517	896

The school board, under the law, may levy two mills of the Marion school district's tax duplicate for school building purposes. It can now raise $42,000 on a duplicate approximately of $21,000,000 by issuing bonds to that amount and that is what it proposes to do, but it is probable that the schools will hold half-day sessions next year till the proceeds of this bond issue can be utilized to afford more room.

MARION YOUTHS ARE TAKEN INTO CUSTODY

Caught in the Act of Burglarizing Mansfield Store.

LADS ALSO STEAL A HORSE AND BUGGY

Otto Knight and Ray Jones in Serious Trouble—Andrew Cole Is Taken to the Dayton Workhouse. Fails To Support His Family. Notes from Local Police Court.

Otto Knight, aged sixteen, and Ray Jones, aged sixteen, both of this city, were arrested in Mansfield, Tuesday night, while in the act of robbing a hardware store. After the arrest of the boys they gave their homes as Marion and confessed to having burglarized the store of Vincent Nardini, on Silver street, early Monday morning. They also had in their possession the horse and buggy stolen from Fred Hoch, of near Prospect, Saturday night, and confessed to having stolen the rig from the hitching rack at Prospect.

The boys were implicated in the theft of a rig which they hired from the Davis livery barn and failed to return. This took place about six weeks ago after they had been found with a girl companion sleeping in the rig at Bellefontaine. After this act, they were taken before the probate judge and released on their promises to be good. In case the Mansfield authorities do not care to prosecute the boys, they will be brought back to this city to be dealt with.

Andrew Cole, who was arrested, Sunday, for failing to support his family, was taken to the workhouse Wednesday to serve a sentence of sixty days and work out a fine of $25 and costs. This was the fine and sentence assessed against Cole a short time ago by Mayor Walters, Cole being arrested on the affidavit of Humane Officer J. W. Ulsh. By his agreeing to pay five dollars a week for the support of his family, the fine and sentence was suspended, but Cole failed to keep his agreement.

An old suitcase, presumably belonging to a man by the name of Turned, was found, Wednesday, at the plant of the Ohio Tractor company and turned over to the police to await the call of an owner.

Lulu Conroy, colored, filed an affidavit in the mayor's court, Wednesday, charging Ralph Cook, colored, with making an assault on her. Cook was arrested about noon by Officer Cusick, and locked in the city prison to answer to the charge against him.

A marriage license has been issued to Mrs. June Watts, of Marion, and Earl Jenkins, of Salina.

VITO BENEDITTO IS RETURNED TO TH

Must Stand Trial for Mu Antonio Stafano.

STATEMENTS MADE BY LAD TO OF

Denies That He Is Prom Any Person To Do the Parents of the Lad Meet The Union Station, W Now Held in Prison.

Chief of Police J. F. Mc accompanied by Joseph P returned, Wednesday, c train, No. 3, with Vito B charged with the murder of Stafano, who was arrested nell, New York, last W night.

After going to Columbus, urday morning, and secu quisition papers, Chief Mc and Joseph Peracchio took t sylvania train for Pittsburg the yarrived Saturday They reached New York C day morning, and after spe day there, traveled to Alb York, where they secured t sary papers for the extrad the fourteen-year-old accus derer. After returning to from Albany they were re go to Canisteo to have the that place sign certain pa ing to the boy being a mino

Boy Talks Freely.

The chief with his compa prisoner left Hornell, Tuesd The boy conversed freely companions and admitted that he shot Stafano. He st after the shooting, he start lice headquarters to give hi When within two squares o tion he met a fellow for whom he told his story an structed to run away. boarded an interurban car rus, from where he took a car to Galion, boarding E No. 8. at that point on the following the murder. The fessed to the judge and c cials in Hornell that he fano, and denies that an prompted him as to how out this act.

Would Slip Handcu

Enroute home on the tr McDonough handcuffed the Joseph Peracchio and all e take a little sleep. Perac a watch on the boy and him making an effort to handcuff. When Peracchio that he could not get awa the cuff, the boy replied could if he could cut off p hand. The boy was in fi and did not hesitate to talk circumstances of the murde

The parents of the boy at the Union station, W and he threw his arms a mother. To prevent a scen hastened away and taken t prison in the automobile o A. L. Bond.

THE TABULATION OF PIECES AND

Mail Handled by the Et Mail Carriers.

Preliminary to the inaug the new parcels post, Ja Postmaster M. B. Dickers request of the postal depar just completed the tabulat number of pieces and the the mail delivered and re the eight rural carriers Marion office for October a ber.

The total number of pie ered for the two months wa and the total weight wa pounds. The number of pi ered in October was 57,72 number during November 536. The number of piece ber weighed 9,193, and th of pieces for November w 598.

The total number of piec ed by the eight carriers Marion office during Octobe vember was 13,163, and weight was 255 pounds. number of pieces collected ber was 5,704, and the tot of pieces collected in Nove 7,459. The total weight of collection was 112 pounds total weight of November's was 143 pounds.

WILL MAKE FUTURE HOME IN C

Miss Myra E. Caton and Rinehart Wed.

Miss Myra Eva Caton, o ton, and Mr. Vern F. Rineh Gilead, were united in m the home of the bride's pa and Mrs. Thomas Caton, Thanksgiving day. The groom mingled with the gu the appointed hour, when t ding march played by M Pynerd, they, with their a Miss Mary Benson and Caton, a brother of the b their places before an em of ferns and palms, where Smith performed the cer the presence of about friends and relatives. After mony a wedding dinner wa

Those present from Ma Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rine daughter, Genevieve.

Mr. and Mrs. Rinehart on a farm near Mt. Gilead.

A son was born, Tuesd and Mrs. Charles Jacobs, street.

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The fact that this store does the biggest Holiday business in men's apparel, and because ladies find this the most inviting place to buy men's gift articles, prompts our early displays. We have taken the greatest care to provide the very choicest of all the little things a man or young man could want—not only the higher priced, but popular priced merchandise as well. **All Xmas purchases wrapped in appropriate packages. Come, be free to shop—we never embarrass shoppers.**

Remembrances That Are Sure To Please.

MUFFLERS

A very appropriate Christmas gift. Our assortment presents a host of beautiful patterns and colors in rich silks in all the smart styles and novelty effects. You'll find selection easy, for, aside from being very choice, it's the largest in town. Handsome Christmas box with each muffler.

PRICED 50c to $4.

NECKWEAR

Hundreds of exquisite patterns, rich shades of plain colors and fancy weaves in the newest styles, made from the finest imported and domestic silks. You can't find a better assortment between New York and Chicago—every kind, color and quality you want, and you get a dandy Christmas box with each scarf.

PRICED 50c to $1.50.

SHIRTS

This is a present that is always greatly appreciated, for a man never has too many. Our showing this holiday season is exceptionally good, for we've the largest and finest display we have ever had. All the smartest colors and patterns are shown in a wide range of the best styles. All size neck bands—all length sleeves.

PRICED $1 to $3.50

HANDKERCHIEFS

Millions of these useful gifts are distributed during the holidays. They're inexpensive yet always appreciated. We show them in a large variety of initial, colored border and plain white; also plain colors and combinations. Sets of 2, 3 or half-dozen in a handsome Christmas box—

PRICED 10c to $1.00.

TRAVELING BAGS

Most men have need for a good leather Suit Case, Traveling Bag or Grip, yet put off buying. Here is an all new stock of unusual merit, in all styles—and you'll find the prices very reasonable. You will surely please "Him" with one of these at

PRICED $3.00 to $15.00.

SMOKING JACKETS

There isn't a more suitable Christmas gift than the house-coat. For comfort and convenience every man appreciates their worth. Our display represents a host of the most stylish colors and patterns, made from materials of the finest quality. Some plain, others attractively trimmed.

PRICED $4 to $14.

GLOVES

An indispensable necessity that is always accepted with pleasure. We offer a special showing in this department which is meritorious for its value as well as attractiveness. Street, dress and auto gloves, representing the best foreign and domestic makes, are shown in a wide variety of styles and colors.

PRICED $1 to $6.

HOSIERY

Our hosiery exhibit commands favorable comment, the assortment embraces everything new and fashionable. Special attention is called to the celebrated HOLEPROOF hose, which comes four pairs of assorted colors in Christmas boxes at $1.50 a box.

OTHERS at 15c to 75c.

FANCY VESTS

The most metropolitan exhibit of fancy and full dress waistcoats on display in Marion. Every new style feature is mirrored in this elaborate showing, making the selection of an appropriate and useful Christmas remembrance comparatively easy.

PRICED $1.50 to $6.

You'll like the new models of Stein-Bloch Clothes

Fine Evening Clothes

and other Full Dress Apparel, of the very highest quality appropriate for all social functions.

Tuxedo and Full Dress Suits $35 to $45.

Silk Hats $5.00
Opera Hats $7.00
Dress Gloves $1.50 and $2.00.
Full Dress Vests $2.50 to $6.00.
Full Dress Protector $3.50
Full Dress Shirts, $1 to $2.50

just received for holiday season. These were made especially for us and are the very latest creations from point of style, shade and fabric. They are the latest models. They come in a wide variety of colors in a splendid assortment of weaves. Fine tailoring—perfect in workmanship, fit and finish.

Overcoats in Chesterfield, London Box and the smart swagger models made from fashionable rough materials and featuring the changeable collar.

$15, $17 $20, $22, $25

The Gift Store

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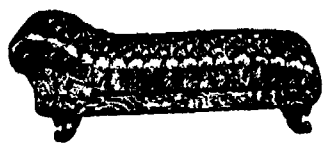
MARION'S BEST CLOTHING STORE.

War in Turkey Means Rug Prices will Advance Soon

In fact, we've been notified of a sharp addition to the cost. Luckily our purchases preceded the raise, and so we are still in position to name the old figures during the Holiday sason, at least. Our advice is, buy now and have us deliver your purchases for Xmas later.

200 couches to choose from at our store.



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Snappy Chairs.

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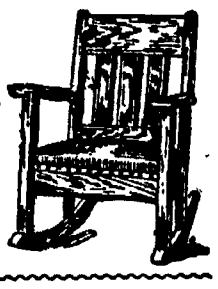

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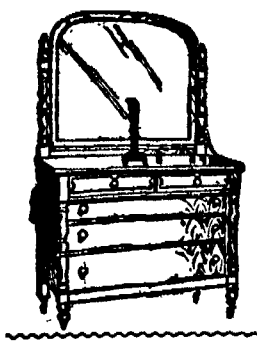

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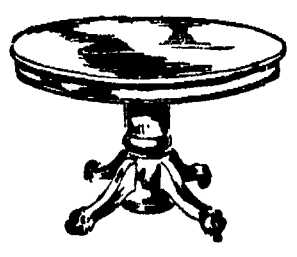

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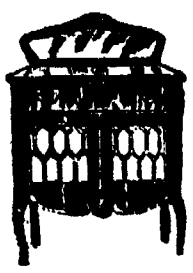
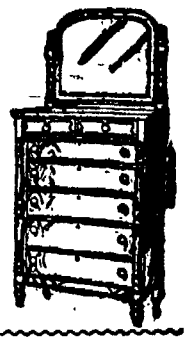
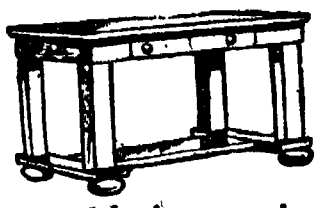


Chiffoniers—any kind.



Library Tables in profusion.



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PRETTY WEDDING AT THE CLICK RESIDENCE

Miss Mae Shrock and Mr. John Kaufman United.

MARRIAGE SERVICE WITNESSED BY FRIENDS

Rev. J. A. Hensel Performs the Rites—Mr. and Mrs. Kaufman Will Make Their Home on a Farm on the Richland Pike—Young People Have Many Friends.

A very pretty wedding was celebrated at the home of Mr and Mrs. George Click, east of Marion on the Richland pike, Thanksgiving evening, when their granddaughter, Miss Mae Shrock, was joined in marriage to Mr John Kaufman, a son of Mrs. Daniel Kaufman.

The parlors were beautifully decorated with bouquets of white chrysanthemums and ropes of smilax, and presented a very pretty scene. At the appointed hour of 8 o'clock the bride and groom took their places under a bower of violets and white ribbons, where in the presence of the immediate families of the young people, Mrs. J. A. Hensel and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rentzenberger, Rev. J. A. Hensel, of this city, pastor of the Evangelical circuit, performed the ring ceremony. The bride looked lovely in a gown of white satin adorned with pearl trimming and chiffon roses. She carried a large bouquet of bride roses.

An elegast five-course dinner was served. The table was trimmed with white ribbon streamers, smilax and white chrysanthemums. The favors were white wedding bells tied with ribbon and smilax. The gifts received were many and beautiful.

The young people will reside with the groom's parents until spring, the groom having a new home already in course of construction on a neighboring farm. Both are well known young people and have many friends. The groom is a prosperous farmer.

Mr. Frank Click, of Columbus, was the only out-of-town guest at the wedding.

Richwood Company.

The secretary of state has issued the necessary incorporation papers for the incorporation of the Scharf Gearless Motor Car company, of Richwood, the same being incorporated under the laws of Ohio. The capital stock is $5,000.

F. A. Stengle, Optician, 5. State St. 42-o&wk-tf.

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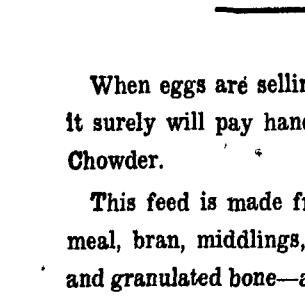

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Notice to Non Resident.

Jennie May Zattau, residence unknown, is hereby notified, that on Nov 9, 1912, William Zattau filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Marion County, Ohio, Case 13560, his petition praying for a divorce from defendant because of wilful absence for 3 years, and adultery, and that said cause will be heard after 6 weeks after the first publication hereof.

Marion, Ohio, Nov. 9, 1912.

William Zattau.

L E Myers, Plaintiff's Attorney.

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All white mourning seems to have come to stay.

JOHN Q. CODDING DIES LAST FRIDAY

Death Comes to a Former Resident of This City.

L. R. Codding, of Waldo, received word, last Friday, of the death of his brother, John Q. Codding, of Findlay, a former resident of Marion Mr Codding died that morning He was about sixty-five years of age and is survived by his widow and four daughters, Mrs John Hartman, of Findlay; Mrs Clinton Grant, of Columbus, and Mabel and Mildred at home. He also leaves the following brothers and sisters:

L R Codding, of Waldo; G. P. Codding, of LaRue; A J. Codding, of Detroit; A B. Codding, of York, Nebraska. Mrs E B. Finley and Mrs Rona C. Dills, of Bucyrus; Mrs L. R. Howell, of Addison, and Mrs W. F. Carr, of Cleveland, who expected to sail from San Francisco. Saturday, for Honolulu. All the brothers and sisters, with the exception of one, enjoyed a family reunion at the L. R. Codding home, last August.

Mr. Codding was a real estate dealer, and before his removal from Marion about eighteen years ago, was in partnership with M B Chase.

The funeral was held in Findlay at the late residence at 9 o'clock, Monday morning.

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A son was born, Thursday afternoon, to Mr. and Mrs. Rosa W. McClintock, residing six miles northeast of Marion.

A son was born, Thursday, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spicer, of east George street.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Richards, of Silver street, are the parents of a son born November 29

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